FOR THOSE WHO CAME IN LATE...
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DR. LAMANDA LUAGA, 1ST PRESIDENT, OF BANGALLA...

IN A JUNGLE EPIDEMIC, HE HEADED A UN MEDICAL TEAM. DIANA SERVED AS NURSE...

A DELEGATION COMES TO THE JUNGLE HOSPITAL...
DR. LUAGA, THE WAR IS OVER. YOU'VE BEEN ELECTED FIRST PRESIDENT OF BANGALLA!
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LUAGA, IN THE JUNGLE...
FIRST PRESIDENT OF A BRAND-NEW NATION! CONGRATULATIONS, DR. LUAGA!
WONDERFUL!
FALK & BARRY 9/11

AT THE CAPITOL, GENERAL BABABU...
I LED THE ARMY! I WON THE WAR!

THE ELECTION IS CANCELLED. THIS ASSEMBLY IS DISSOLVED!
I AM THE LAW!
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GEN. BABABU, DICTATOR!
FIND DR. LUAGA! BRING ME HIS HEAD!
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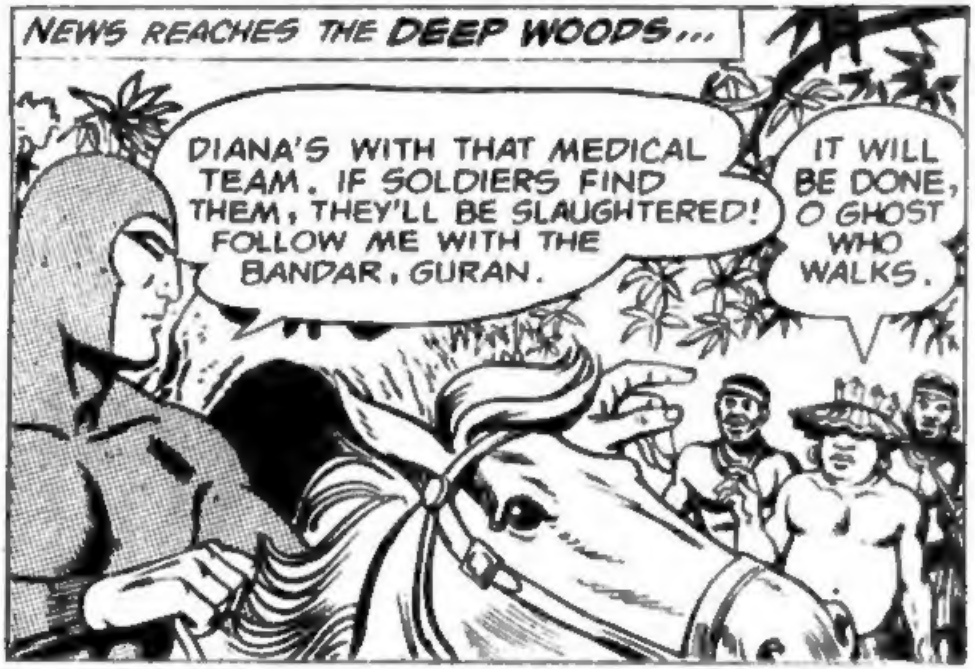
BABABU'S TROOPS SEARCH THE JUNGLE...
DR. LUAGA..?
NOT HERE.. UH...


NEWS REACHES THE DEEP WOODS...
DIANA'S WITH THAT MEDICAL TEAM. IF SOLDIERS FIND THEM, THEY'LL BE SLAUGHTERED! FOLLOW ME WITH THE BANDAR, GURAN.
IT WILL BE DONE, O GHOST WHO WALKS.

FIRST MEETING WITH LUAGA...
DR. LUAGA, THIS IS MY FRIEND!
ER... GLAD TO MEET YOU.
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CAN YOU GET ME TO THE CAPITOL?
NO, MR. PRESIDENT. THE JUNGLE'S FILLED WITH BABABU'S TROOPS, ORDERED TO KILL YOU ON SIGHT.

THE PYGMY BANDAR WILL TAKE YOU TO SAFETY IN THE DEEP WOODS. I WILL GET BABABU.
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NIGHT, AT GENERAL BABABU'S CAMP...
BABABU, I'VE COME FOR YOU.
URK!
TALK & BARRY 9/14
BROADCAST FROM THE DEEP WOODS...
SAY IT!
UH.. GENERAL BABABU SPEAKING. I.. ER.. ORDER THE LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF DR. LUAGA RESTORED.
... FURTHER, I ORDER ALL MY TROOPS TO LAY DOWN THEIR ARMS...
LUAG
SO BEGAN THE FRIENDSHIP...
YOU ENDED THE REBELLION WITHOUT BLOOD-SHED! YOU'RE AMAZING!
DIDN'T I TELL YOU!
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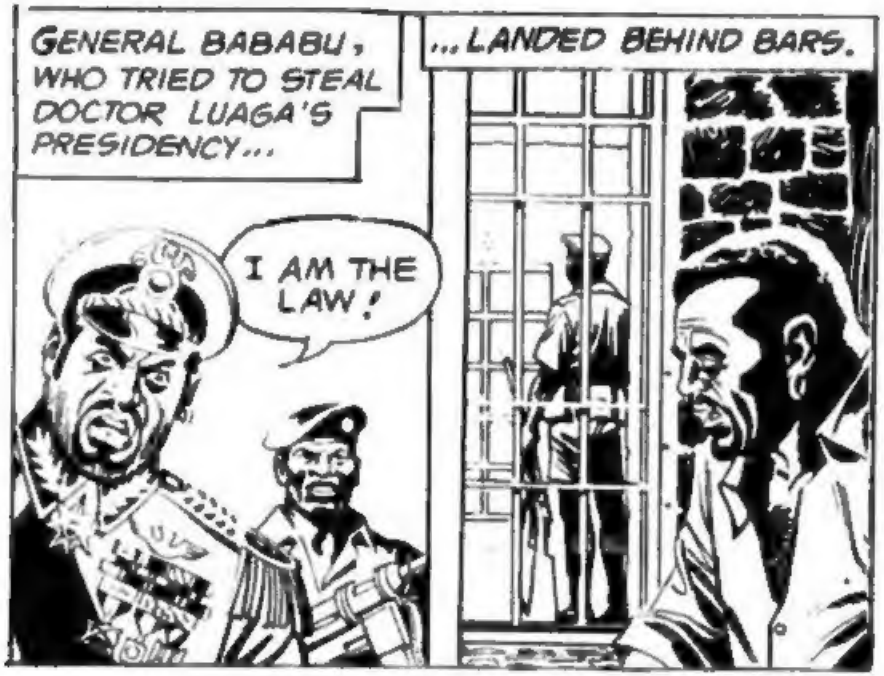
GENERAL BABABU, WHO TRIED TO STEAL DOCTOR LUAGA'S PRESIDENCY...
I AM THE LAW!
...LANDED BEHIND BARS.

LATER, GIVEN A PARDON BY PRESIDENT LUAGA...
I'M EXILING YOU FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY, BABABU. TOO MANY REMEMBER YOUR CRUELTY.
I'LL NOT FORGET... YOUR KINDNESS!
I DON'T TRUST THAT OLD WAR-HORSE.
FALK & BARRY 9/17

PRESIDENT LUAGA.. AND HIS COLLEAGUE, PRESIDENT GORANDA OF IVORY-LANA...OFFICIATED...
WE NOW PRONOUNCE YOU, MAN AND WIFE.
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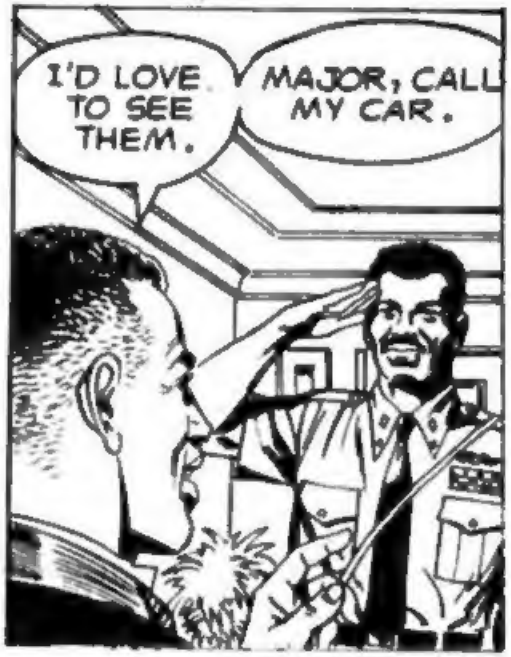
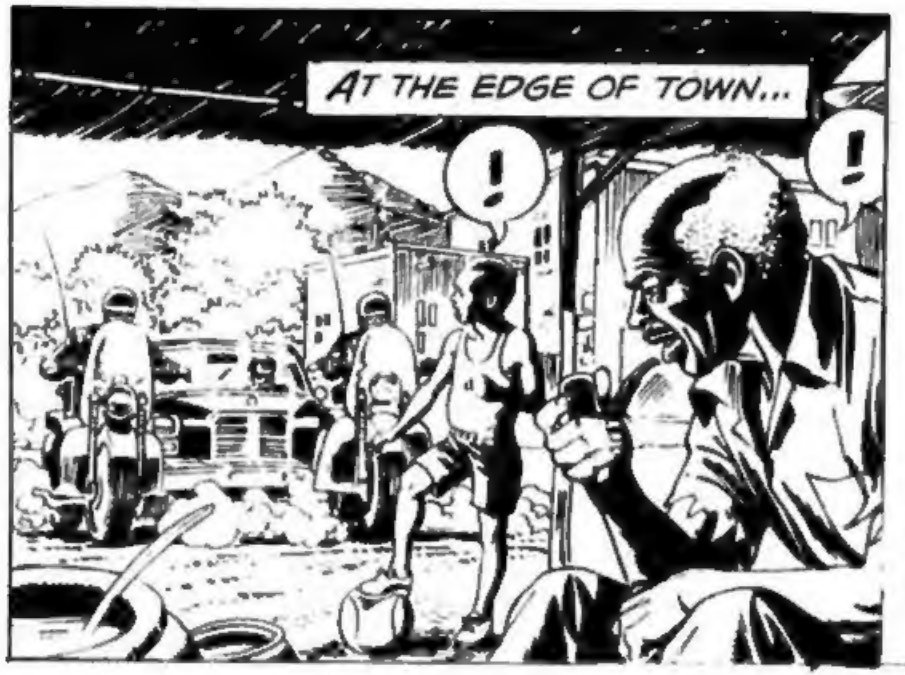
WHAT A WEDDING! WHAT AN AMAZING COUPLE!
DIANA MUST HAVE HER BABY BY NOW!


I'D LOVE TO SEE THEM.
MAJOR, CALL MY CAR.


AT THE EDGE OF TOWN...
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I WISH TO SEND THIS MESSAGE TO A CERTAIN PARTY... FAST! CAN YOU ARRANGE IT AS USUAL?
OH, YES, YOUR EXCELLENCY!

GRANDPA, WHO WAS THAT?
OUR PRESIDENT! WITH A MESSAGE FOR THE GHOST WHO WALKS!
TALK & BARRY 9/19

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, GRANDPA?
TYING A MESSAGE ON FRAKA'S LEG.

FRAKA, THE PHANTOM'S FIERCE FALCON, TAKES OFF LIKE A BULLET...
TALK & BARRY 9/20

UNCLE WALKER,* IT'S FRAKA... WITH A MESSAGE!
*FOR THE GHOST WHO WALKS.

FRAKA, WHAT HAVE YOU BROUGHT?
HAS BABY ARRIVED? WOULD LOVE TO VISIT YOU. ADVISE.
LUAGA.

DIANA.. A MESSAGE FROM LUAGA!

HE WANTS TO VISIT AND SEE THE BABY. HE DOESN'T KNOW WE HAVE TWO!
OH.. WONDERFUL!
KOOCHEE KOO..
TALK & BARRY 9/21

EXCITEMENT AT JUNGLE PATROL HQ...
HEY.. A CALL ON THE X-BAND!
WOW! THE COMMANDER! (WHO IS HE... WHERE IS HE?)

SECRET COMMANDER OF THE JUNGLE PATROL!
CONNECT ME BY PHONE TO THE PRESIDENT'S PALACE.
YES, SIR!

MEANWHILE, FAR AWAY, A PLOT IS HATCHED...
GENERAL BABABU, WHEN YOU ARE READY TO RETURN, THE PEOPLE WILL HAIL YOU.
I AM READY!
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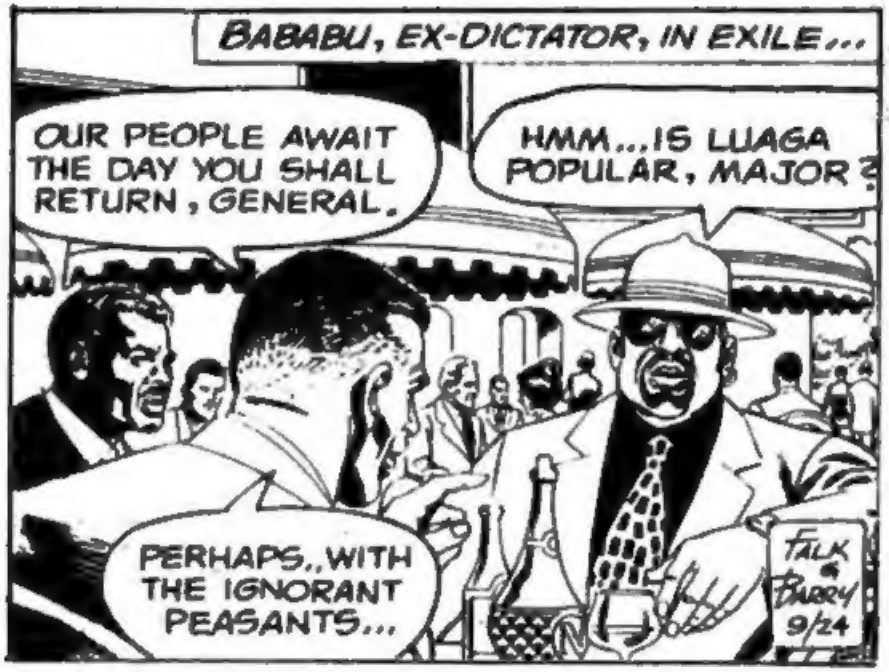
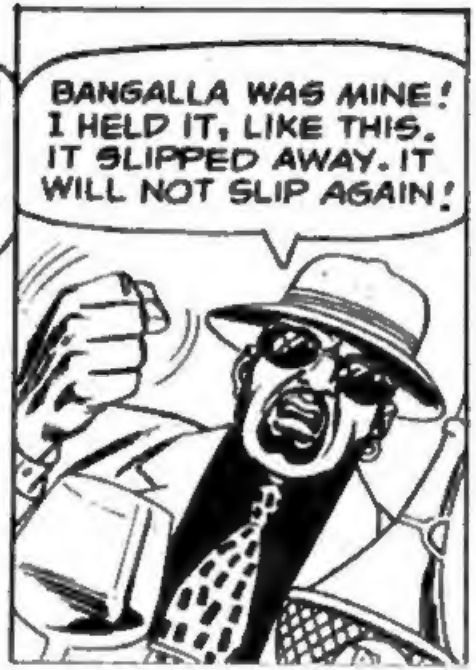

BABABU, EX-DICTATOR, IN EXILE...
OUR PEOPLE AWAIT THE DAY YOU SHALL RETURN, GENERAL.
HMM...IS LUAGA POPULAR, MAJOR?
PERHAPS..WITH THE IGNORANT PEASANTS...
FALK & BARRY 9/24

BUT NOT WITH THE PEOPLE WHO COUNT.. LIKE US.
YOUR RETURN WILL BE A TRIUMPH... LIKE CAESAR BACK FROM GAUL!


BANGALLA WAS MINE! I HELD IT, LIKE THIS. IT SLIPPED AWAY. IT WILL NOT SLIP AGAIN!

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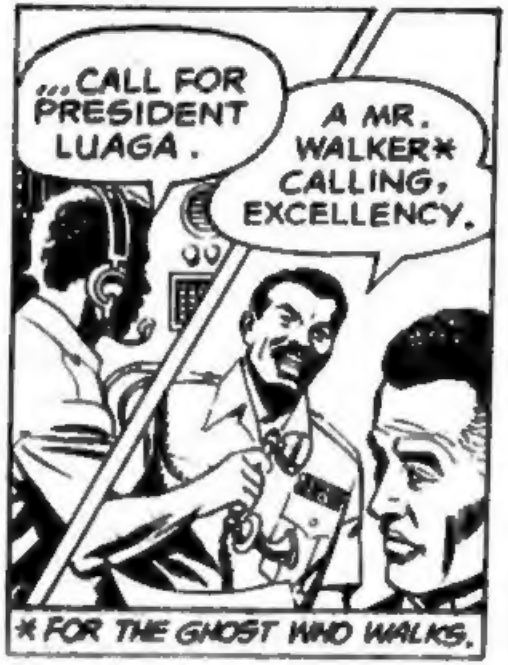
COMMANDER SPEAKING! CONNECT ME WITH THE PRESIDENT'S PALACE.
HAS BABY ARRIVED? WOULD LOVE TO VISIT YOU. ADVISE. LUAGA.


...CALL FOR PRESIDENT LUAGA.
A MR. WALKER* CALLING, EXCELLENCY.
* FOR THE GHOST WHO WALKS.

I GOT YOUR MESSAGE. WE'RE WAITING FOR YOU.. ALL FOUR OF US!
ALL... FOUR?

DID YOU SAY... FOUR OF YOU?
YES. DIANA, MYSELF... AND THE TWINS!

A BOY AND A GIRL. MOTHER AND BABIES DOING FINE. CAN YOU HEAR THEM?
YES! WHAT ARE THEIR NAMES?
GURGLE-GURGLE...

THE BOY'S KIT. DIANA'S STILL CHOOSING THE GIRL'S. WHEN ARE YOU COMING?
THIS WEEK-END...IF IT'S OKAY WITH YOU.
!
FALK & BARRY 9/26

I'LL LAND AS USUAL NEAR THAT ODD PEAK. WHAT DO THEY CALL IT?
PHANTOM-HEAD. THE BANDAR WILL ESCORT YOU TO THE DEEP WOODS!

HOW GREAT! WONDERFUL! CAN'T WAIT... UNTIL FRIDAY.. GOOD-BYE...
FALK & BARRY 9/27

OH, DEAR! THE PRESIDENT OF BANGALLA IS COMING AND WE DON'T HAVE AN EXTRA BED!
WE CAN ARRANGE ONE IN THIS TREASURE ROOM. HE ALWAYS LIKES IT HERE.

IN BANGALLA'S PRESIDENTIAL PALACE...A CONSPIRACY...
BZZ BZZ BZZ...

BUT WHERE CAN WE REACH YOU, EXCELLENCY?
NOWHERE. I'LL BE UNREACHABLE. CALL MY PILOT, CAPT. LOGU. I'M READY TO GO.
FALK & BARRY 9/28

CAPTAIN LOGU, I HAVE A MESSAGE FOR YOU!
YES? UH...
THIS!
CRACK

WHERE'S CAPTAIN LOGU, MY PILOT?
ON THE SICK LIST, EXCELLENCY. A VIRUS. I'M HIS REPLACEMENT. MAJOR CROTTA, REPORTING.

FALK & BARRY 9/29

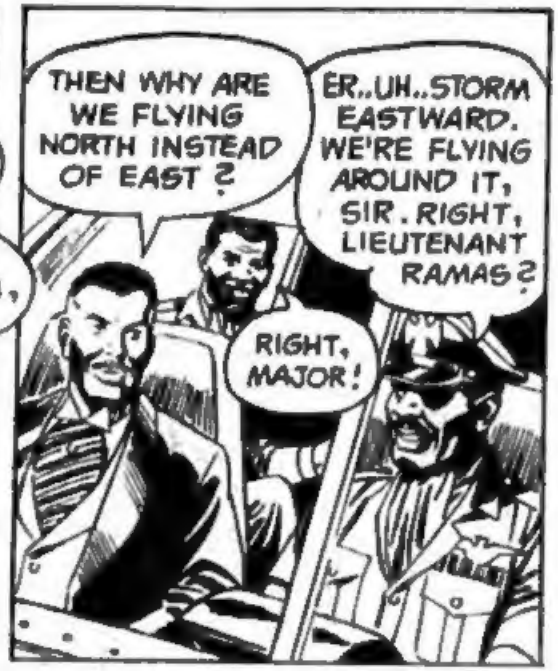
SO FAR, SO GOOD. GET WORD TO THE OTHERS.
THAT'S THE LAST WE'LL SEE OF "HIS EXCELLENCY"!

CAPT. LOGU, PRES. LUAGA'S PILOT...
WHAT IS THIS?
YOU'VE BEEN REPLACED, CAPTAIN!

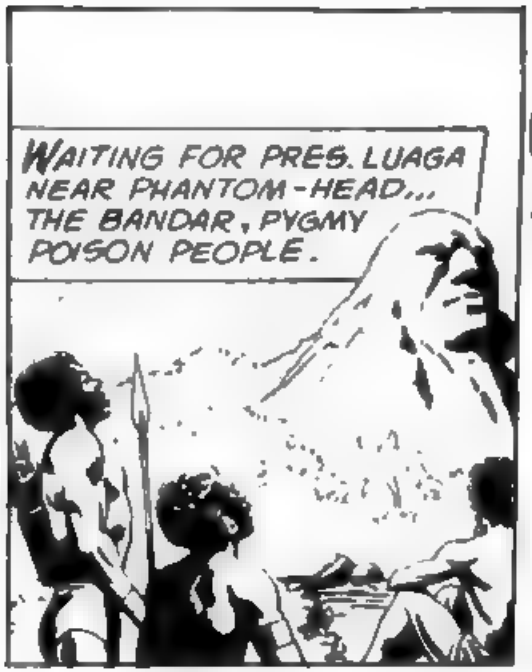
LUAGA'S FINISHED. EITHER YOU JOIN US... AND GENERAL BABABU... OR YOU'RE FINISHED, TOO!

DID CAPT. LOGU BRIEF YOU ON THIS FLIGHT?
YES, PRES. LUAGA, SIR...
LIEUTENANT RAMAS IS OUR NAVIGATOR, SIR.
I AM HONORED PRES. LUAGA, SIR.
THANK YOU!
FALK & BARRY 10/1

MAJOR, YOU SAID MY REGULAR PILOT BRIEFED YOU ON THIS TRIP.
HE DID, PRES. LUAGA, SIR.
FALK & BARRY 10/2

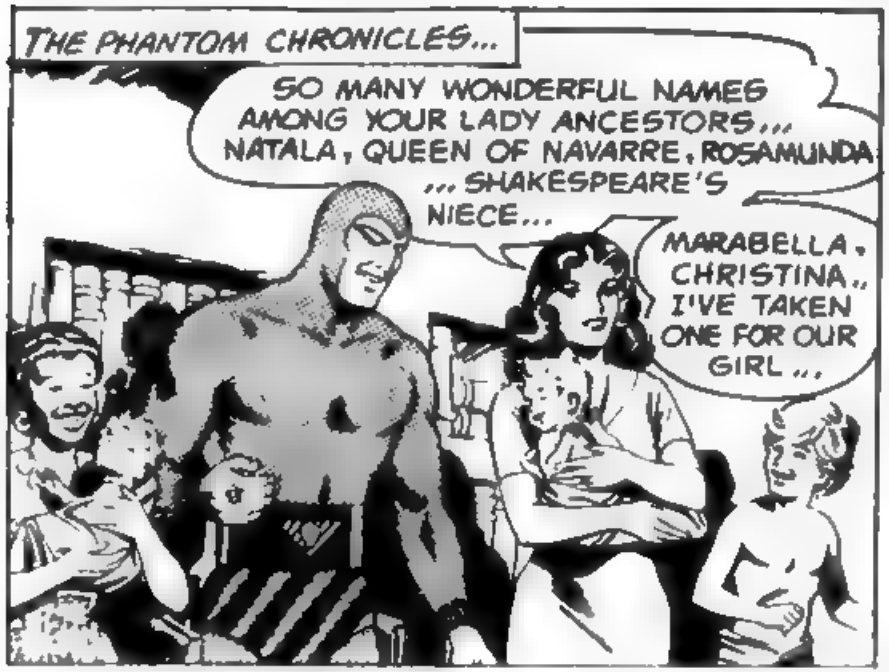

THEN WHY ARE WE FLYING NORTH INSTEAD OF EAST?
ER..UH..STORM EASTWARD. WE'RE FLYING AROUND IT, SIR. RIGHT, LIEUTENANT RAMAS?
RIGHT, MAJOR!

BE GOOD TO SEE THEM AGAIN!
CARRY ON. UH... SLEEPY... MAY NAP... ZZZZZ


WAITING FOR PRES. LUAGA NEAR PHANTOM-HEAD... THE BANDAR, PYGMY POISON PEOPLE.

WE'RE READY FOR HIM... HOW SOON WILL HE BE HERE?
IN A FEW HOURS. THE BANDAR WILL ESCORT HIM WHEN HE LANDS...

DIANA, HE'LL ASK THE BABIES' NAMES. THE BOY IS KIT. WHAT ABOUT THE GIRL?
I'VE CHOSEN A NAME... I WAS ABOUT TO TELL YOU.
WOW! WHAT IS IT?
FALK & BARRY 10/3


THE PHANTOM CHRONICLES...
SO MANY WONDERFUL NAMES AMONG YOUR LADY ANCESTORS... NATALA, QUEEN OF NAVARRE, ROSAMUNDA ... SHAKESPEARE'S NIECE...
MARABELLA, CHRISTINA.. I'VE TAKEN ONE FOR OUR GIRL...

I PICKED ONE IN YOUR CHRONICLES.. MY FAVORITE AMONG ALL YOUR AMAZING FAMILY.
FALK & BARRY 10/4

THAT ONE? REALLY? MARVELOUS!
WHAT IS IT?

THIS IS THE NAME I'VE PICKED FOR OUR GIRL. HELOISE!
WIFE OF THE EIGHTH PHANTOM, MARRIED APRIL, 1685?
HELOISE? THAT'S PRETTY! WAS SHE A QUEEN?

QUEEN OF KOQANIA, REX. A SMALL COUNTRY THAT NO LONGER EXISTS.
BUT SHE WAS ALSO KNOWN AS THE HANTA WITCH.
TALK & BARRY 10/5

A WITCH? YOU'RE NAMING THAT PRETTY LITTLE BABY AFTER A WITCH?

HELOISE. WHAT A LOVELY NAME FOR THE BABY!
KIT AND HELOISE.
HELOISE.. QUEEN OF KOQANIA.
OLD MAN MOZZ.. WAS SHE A QUEEN OR A WITCH?

BOTH, REX. WHILE WE'RE WAITING FOR PRESIDENT LUAGA, I'LL TELL YOU ABOUT THE FIRST HELOISE, WIFE OF THE EIGHTH PHANTOM.
TALK & BARRY 10/6

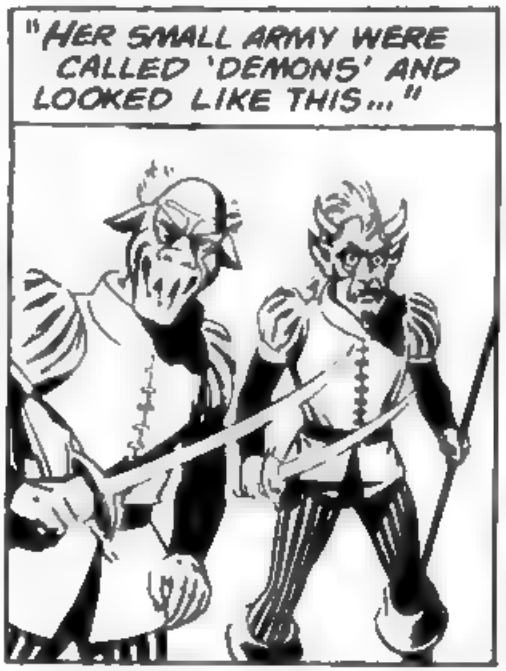
THEY'LL HAVE A LONG WAIT...
ZZZZZ
EVERY-THING'S UNDER CONTROL... HE'S ASLEEP.

KIT, MEET YOUR TWIN SISTER, HELOISE!
A LOVELY NAME!
I CHOSE IT...FROM AMONG HER ANCESTORS.

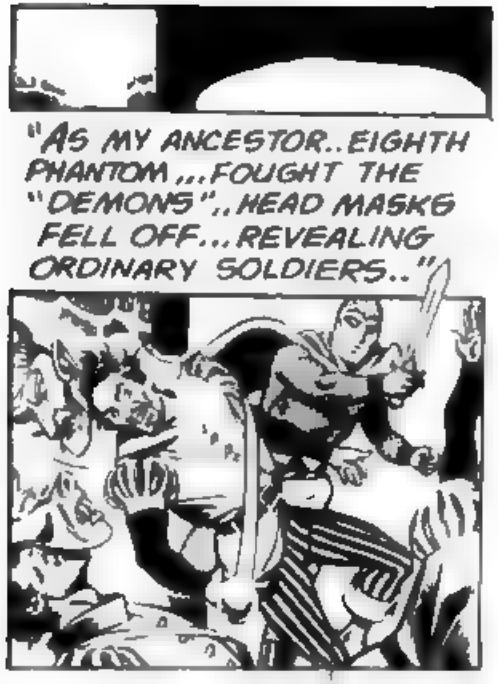
WANT TO TELL THEM ABOUT THE FIRST HELOISE, DIANA?
NO. YOU DO IT MUCH BETTER. PLEASE...

IN OLDEN TIMES, A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN NAMED HELOISE LIVED IN A GREAT CASTLE. QUEEN OF KOQANIA, SHE WAS ALSO CALLED THE HANTA WITCH.
OH...WHY NAME THAT SWEET BABY AFTER A WITCH?!
TALK & BARRY 10/8

HELOISE WASN'T A REAL WITCH, REX. BUT SHE LET EVERYBODY THINK SHE WAS
WHY?


"HER SMALL ARMY WERE CALLED 'DEMONS' AND LOOKED LIKE THIS..."

MY ANCESTOR, THE EIGHTH PHANTOM... HEARING HER "DEMONS" ROBBED TRAVELERS..
"WENT TO HER LAND AND FOUGHT HIS WAY TO THE CASTLE..."
TALK & BARRY 10/9
TOMORROW: HELOISE, HANTA"


"AS MY ANCESTOR..EIGHTH PHANTOM...FOUGHT THE "DEMONS"..HEAD MASKS FELL OFF...REVEALING ORDINARY SOLDIERS.."

"HE FOUGHT HIS WAY INTO THE CASTLE..TO THE THRONE ROOM.."
FALK & BARRY 10/10
CRASH!

"THERE AMONG A THOUSAND CANDLES THAT SHONE LIKE STARS WAS THE BLONDE BEAUTY, HELOISE.."
YOU'VE COME AT LAST.
?!

HELOISE... ARE YOU QUEEN OR WITCH ?
THAT IS FOR YOU...TO DISCOVER...
"THEY FELL IN LOVE ...THEY MARRIED.. APRIL, 1675..."

SHE WASN'T A REAL WITCH, REX. SHE PRETENDED ...FOR FUN.
SHE GAVE UP HER LITTLE KINGDOM... AND CAME HERE...
FALK & BARRY 10/11

THAT'S THE LADY YOU'RE NAMED AFTER, HELOISE...
A PRETTY TALE. IS IT NOT TIME, O GHOST WHO WALKS, THAT LUAGA COMES?

PRESIDENTIAL PALACE. THIS IS MR. WALKER.* MAY I SPEAK TO THE PRESIDENT?
THE PRESIDENT LEFT FIVE HOURS AGO. REFUSED TO GIVE US HIS DESTINATION. SAID HE'D BE "UNREACHABLE."
*FOR THE GHOST WHO WALKS.

NO SIGN OF MAN-BIRD, O GHOST WHO WALKS.
SHOULD BE HERE BY NOW. WONDER IF THEY HAD ENGINE TROUBLE.. FORCED LANDING?

AH... I WAS TIRED. HOW LONG WAS I ASLEEP, MAJOR?
ABOUT TWO HOURS...

SHOULD BE OVER PHANTOM-HEAD BY NOW! HEY... WE'RE OVER THE NORTH-WESTERN DESERT! WHAT ARE WE DOING HERE?
TALK & BARRY 10/13

RELAX, PRESIDENT LUAGA. EVERYTHING'S UNDER CONTROL.
!

STAY PUT, PRESIDENT LUAGA!
OUR ORDERS ARE TO BRING YOU, DEAD OR ALIVE.
PREFERABLY ALIVE...

BUT IF YOU GIVE US TROUBLE, "DEAD" WILL DO. GOT IT?
YES.

LUAGA'S CHOPPER'S LONG OVERDUE. SOMETHING HAPPENED... WHAT?
TALK & BARRY 10/15

LUAGA'S CHOPPER SHOULD'VE BEEN HERE TWO HOURS AGO.
HIS FLIGHT WOULD TAKE HIM OVER OONGAN AND LAGOODA...
TALK & BARRY 10/16

SEND MESSAGE TO OONGAN AND LAGOODA.
IT WILL BE DONE, O GHOST WHO WALKS.

LAGOODA... DID YOU SEE MAN-BIRD...
OONGAN...
PHAN-TOM...

OONGAN...LAGOODA...DID YOU SEE MAN-BIRD...
PHANTOM..
? ?
TALKING DRUMS! THE MESSAGE IS RELAYED... DRUM TO DRUM..
...OVER FOREST, DESERT, PLAINS...

THE ANSWER RETURNS...
OONGAN... LAGOODA... SEE NO MAN-BIRD...
HMM. WHERE COULD LUAGA'S CHOPPER BE ?
FALK & BARRY 10/17
TOMORROW: TROUBLE

..SEE NO MAN-BIRD..
OUR GUEST IS NOT COMING! LET US GO HOME!
LAGOODA LAND STRETCHES ALMOST TO THE CAPITAL. IF LUAGA STARTED THIS WAY, THEY WOULD HAVE SEEN HIS CHOPPER.

WHERE IS PRESIDENT LUAGA ?
HE MAY BE IN TROUBLE SOMEWHERE. I'LL TRY TO FIND OUT.
FALK & BARRY 10/18

JUNGLE
A 400-YEAR-OLD ELITE CORPS... THE ONLY LAW ON 1,000 MILES OF JUNGLE BORDER..
TALK & BARRY 10/19

AN ANCIENT MYSTERY.. THE UNKNOWN COMMANDER.
ALWAYS LOCKED. WHO IS HE?
COMMANDER
NO ONE KNOWS.. OR ASKS.

TAKE OVER, JACK. I'M GOING FOR COFFEE...
DON'T BE LONG. I'M NOT GOOD AT THIS...
RINNG
WAIT.. IT'S RINGING. HEY.. IT'S THE X-BAND! HIS PRIVATE LINE!

A CALL ON THE PRIVATE X-BAND...
OH, WOW! THE COMMANDER!
COLONEL WOROBU? RIGHT AWAY, SIR!
COLONEL WOROBU, C.O., JUNGLE PATROL.
BLAST! WHO'S CALLING AT THIS HOUR! IF IT'S NOT AN EMERGENCY, I'LL --
RINNG
TALK & BARRY 10/20

NO MISTAKING THE DEEP VOICE OF THE COMMANDER HE'S NEVER SEEN...
COLONEL WOROBU?
YES, SIR!
DETECTIVE WORK, COLONEL...

SKULL CAVE, DEEP WOODS...
COL. WOROBU, THIS IS TOP SECRET.
PRESIDENT LUAGA LEFT THE AIRPORT TODAY. AS OF NOW, HE IS MISSING!
MISSING!
FALK & BARRY 10/22

NOW--ONLY YOU AND I KNOW ABOUT THIS. GET ALL DETAILS OF HIS DEPARTURE. CLEAR?
YES, SIR!

BUT WHAT...?
CLICK!
GONE... WHO IS HE? WILL I EVER SEE HIM?
HE ATTENDED THE PHANTOM'S WEDDING, BUT DIDN'T KNOW IT.

PRESIDENT LUAGA, WE WILL BLINDFOLD YOU NOW.
WAIT! WHO'S BEHIND THIS CONSPIRACY? WHERE ARE YOU TAKING ME? I DEMAND TO KNOW.

YOU'RE IN NO POSITION TO DEMAND ANYTHING.
SO IT SEEMS.
NOTHING PERSONAL, LUAGA. YOU'VE BEEN A GOOD PREZ. BUT SOMEBODY ELSE IS TAKING OVER.
FALK & BARRY 10/23

REALM OF THE MISTY MOUNTAIN PRINCES... WHOSE MINDS AND HEARTS ARE FIRMLY IN THE 15TH CENTURY.
FALK & BARRY 0/24

OUR "GUEST" IS ARRIVING, GENERAL.

IT WAS ALL SO EASY, GENERAL BABABU.
THE REST... MY TAKING OVER THE COUNTRY.. WILL BE JUST AS EASY, PRINCE AGORDA.

WHAT IS THIS PLACE? WHERE AM I?
PATIENCE, PREZ. ALL WILL BE MADE CLEAR.
FALK & BARRY 10/25

EX-PRESIDENT LUAGA, I BELIEVE.
BABABU!

AT THE AIRPORT...
YES, THE PRESIDENT LEFT THIS MORNING. PRIVATE TRIP. NO PUBLICITY...
LEAVE WORD WHERE HE WAS GOING?
TICKETS
FALK & BARRY 10/26

HE NEVER DOES. LIKES PRIVACY. OH, THERE WAS ONE LITTLE THING THIS MORNING... NOT IMPORTANT.
WHAT?

THE JUNGLE PATROL'S ASKING QUESTIONS. THINK THEY'RE SUSPICIOUS?
HOW COULD THEY BE? THE PLAN'S WORKED PERFECTLY.
?

JUNGLE PATROL HQ.
PUT ME THROUGH TO THE COMMANDER ON THE X-BAND.
YES, SIR!

WE CHECKED THE PRESIDENT'S DEPARTURE. ROUTINE. LIKES PRIVACY... OFTEN TAKES SECRET TRIPS...
FALK & BARRY 10/27

OH, YES. THEY MENTIONED HIS PERSONAL PILOT, CAPTAIN LOGU, WAS ILL.. REPLACED AT THE LAST MINUTE.
FIND CAPTAIN LOGU, AT ONCE!
?

COL. WOROBU, C.O. JUNGLE PATROL.
CAPTAIN LOGU, THE PRESIDENT'S PILOT, SAID TO BE ILL. WE HAVEN'T FOUND HIM, SIR!
REPLACED BY AIR FORCE MAJOR CROTTA AND LIEUTENANT RAMOS.

CAN'T FIND HIM? HAVE YOU TRIED HOSPITALS.. HIS HOME ... BARRACKS?

ER--IS THE PRESIDENT IN DANGER?
MISSING. BUT NO WORD OF THIS. IT WOULD CAUSE PANIC.
?
PUT A LIST OF CROTTA AND RAMOS' CLOSEST FRIENDS IN MY SAFE. OVER.
FALK & BARRY 10/29

HAS SOMETHING HAPPENED TO PRESIDENT LUAGA?
I'M AFRAID SO. DUE HERE YESTERDAY, HE'S VANISHED.
FALK & BARRY 10/30

SOUNDS LIKE A CONSPIRACY. SO CLEVER, WE'RE THE ONLY ONES WHO KNOW HE'S MISSING.

GOOD-NIGHT, HELOISE KIT. SLEEP TIGHT.

OH... PLEASE FIND HIM.
I'M GOING TO TRY... FAST! GOOD-BYE, DARLING.

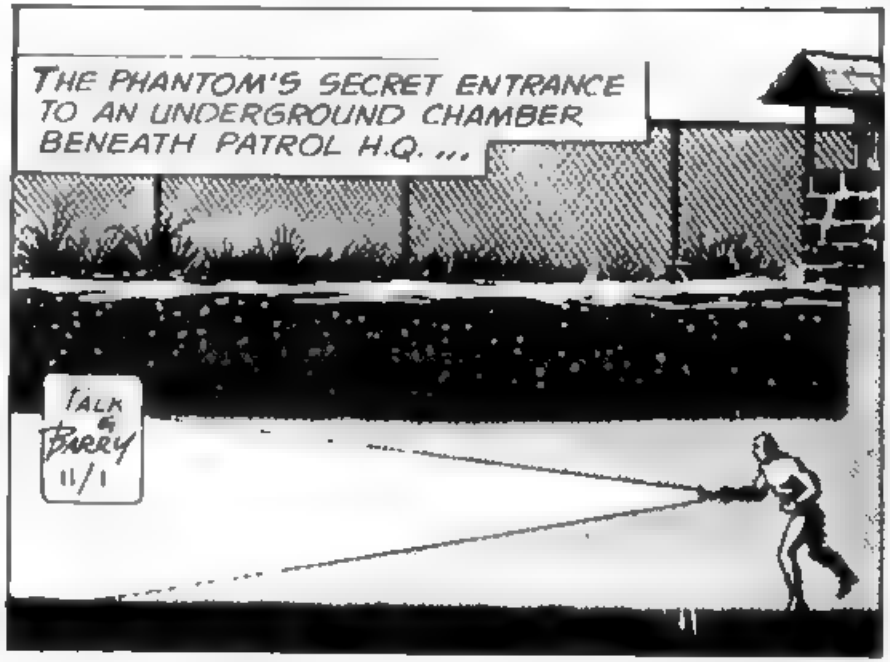
COL. WOROBU, C.O. JUNGLE PATROL...
THE LIST YOU ASKED FOR, SIR ...THE CLOSE ASSOCIATES OF MAJOR CROTTA AND LIEUTENANT RAMOS.
THANK YOU, SERGEANT.

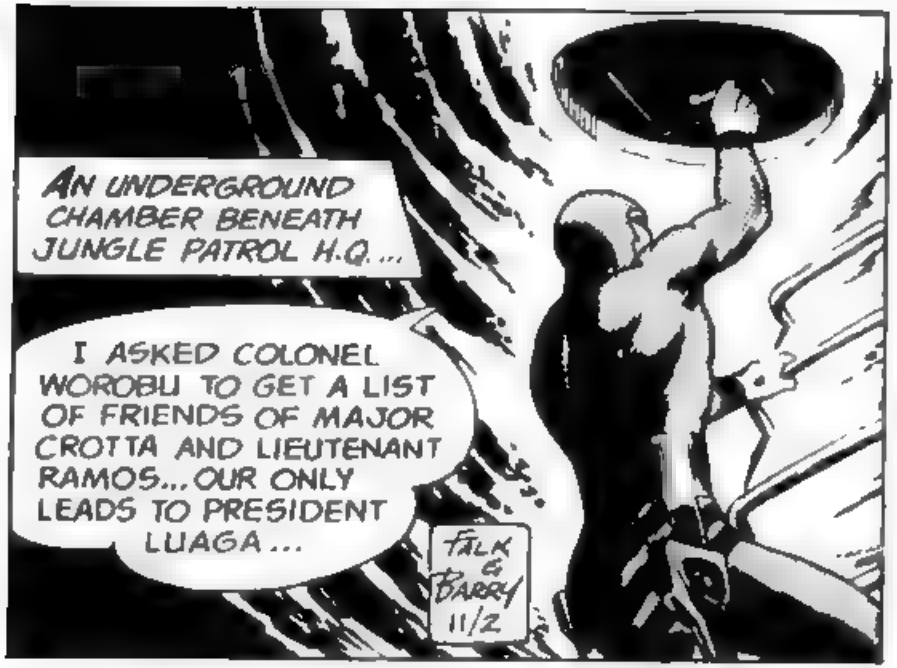
HE HASN'T OPENED THAT DOOR IN MONTHS THAT'S WHERE HE GETS ORDERS FROM THE COMMANDER. HOW? WHAT'S INSIDE?

INSIDE... A BARE ROOM... NO WINDOWS... A SAFE...
I'LL NEVER KNOW HOW THE COMMANDER GETS THIS LIST...OR LEAVES ORDERS HERE. OR WHO HE IS. BUT... HE WANTS IT THAT WAY...
TALK & BARRY 10/31

NIGHT...OUTSIDE JUNGLE PATROL H.Q....
POISON WELL CONDEMNED STAY OUT! — BY ORDER OF — JUNGLE PATROL

STAY, DEVIL... STAY, HERO...


THE PHANTOM'S SECRET ENTRANCE TO AN UNDERGROUND CHAMBER BENEATH PATROL H.Q. ...
TALK & BARRY 11/1


AN UNDERGROUND CHAMBER BENEATH JUNGLE PATROL H.Q...
I ASKED COLONEL WOROBU TO GET A LIST OF FRIENDS OF MAJOR CROTTA AND LIEUTENANT RAMOS...OUR ONLY LEADS TO PRESIDENT LUAGA...
FALK & BARRY 11/2

THE LIST...GOOD... THE PATROL WONDERS HOW ORDERS GET INTO THAT SAFE... IT'S BEST TO KEEP THEM WONDERING...

NOW TO FIND THE "FRIENDS"!

CAPT. LOGU... WE'RE READY TO MOVE. ARE YOU WITH US?
YOU'RE ASKING ME TO BETRAY PRESIDENT LUAGA FOR THAT SLOB, BABABU..?

..TYRANT... DICTATOR...
FOOL! THAT'S YOUR DEATH WARRANT!
SMACK...
I NEED A DRINK. WHEN I RETURN, WE FINISH YOU.

BRING ME ONE, TOO... AND SOME SMOKES.
RIGHT!
FALK & BARRY 11/3

HURRY UP WITH THE BOOZE AND SMOKES. WE'VE GOT TO FINISH THIS JOB.. AND TAKE OFF...
RIGHT! SHUT THAT DOOR!
FALK & BARRY 11/5

CLICK

KNOCK KNOCK..
?
?

WHO'S.. THERE ?
BOOZE AND SMOKES!

HEY ? YOU GOT BACK FAST. IN A HURRY TO FINISH ?

YES!
UH...
BAM
FALK & BARRY 11/6

ARE YOU PRESIDENT LUAGA'S PILOT ?
YES. WHO... ARE YOU ?

LUAGA'S FRIEND.. I'VE COME TO FIND HIM.
WHERE IS HE ?

OPEN UP, MY HANDS ARE FULL.

STORE WAS CLOSED. I HAD TO WAKE UP THE GUY...

HEY..?! WHAT'S GOING ON..?

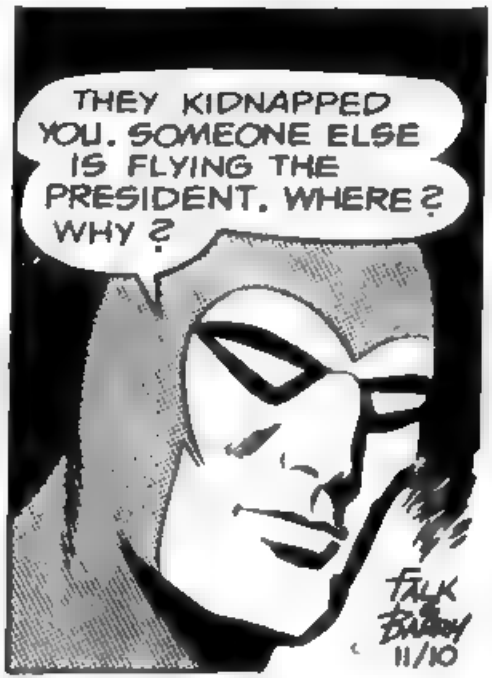
?!
THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO KNOW!
CRASH
SLAM

Falk & Barry 11/9
WHO... WHO ARE YOU..?
I'LL ASK THE QUESTIONS...

"NEVER DRAW A GUN ON THE PHANTOM...

"UNLESS YOU WANT TO GET HURT"... OLD JUNGLE SAYING.
WHAM
UH!

WOW.. YOU HIT HARD! THEY'RE NOT MOVING!
HAVE TO... WITH KILLERS.
LET'S GET THE STORY. YOU ARE PRESIDENT LUAGA'S PILOT.


THEY KIDNAPPED YOU. SOMEONE ELSE IS FLYING THE PRESIDENT. WHERE? WHY?
Falk & Barry 11/10

I DON'T KNOW WHERE. BUT I KNOW WHY. GENERAL BABABU.
BABABU?!

YOU SAVED MY LIFE. THEY WERE ABOUT TO KILL ME.. BECAUSE I WOULDN'T JOIN THEM.
THEY'RE WORKING FOR EXILED GENERAL BABABU?
FALK & BARRY 11/12

YES.. THE OLD DICTATOR... TRYING FOR A COMEBACK.
HE MUST KILL PRESIDENT LUAGA FIRST. HE TRIED THAT BEFORE..

WAKE UP...
...WE MUST FIND OUT WHERE THEY TOOK THE PRESIDENT!

WAKE UP!
UH...UH... SPUTTER, SPUTTER...

THEY SEE THE MASKED MAN'S GUNS IN HOLSTERS..
FALK & BARRY 11/13

GET HIM!
YEAH!

?!
...LIKE DIVING INTO A STONE WALL... THEY BOUNCE OFF THE IMMOVABLE PHANTOM...
WHAM!
FALK & BARRY 11/14

?!
UHH?

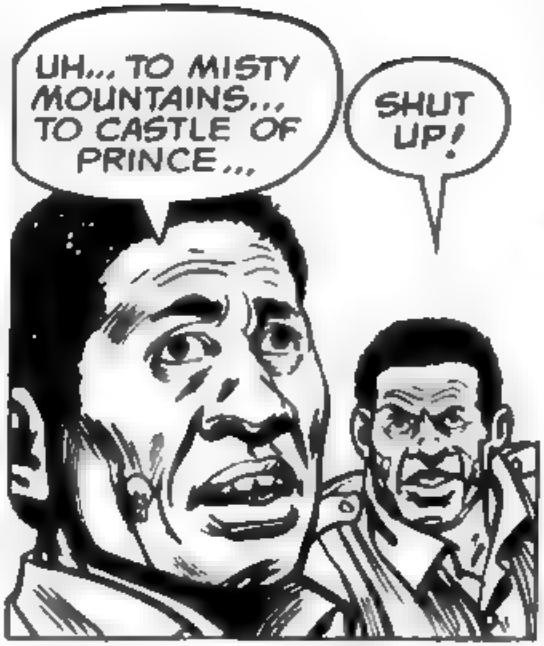
"PHANTOM IS ROUGH ON ROUGH-NECKS"..OLD JUNGLE SAYING.
BONG!
BONG

FALK & BARRY 11/15
ARE YOU READY TO TALK NOW?
WHERE DID YOUR GANG TAKE PRESIDENT LUAGA?
THUMP
OWW!
THUMP

STILL NOT TALKING?

YOU MUST ENJOY THIS.
BONG

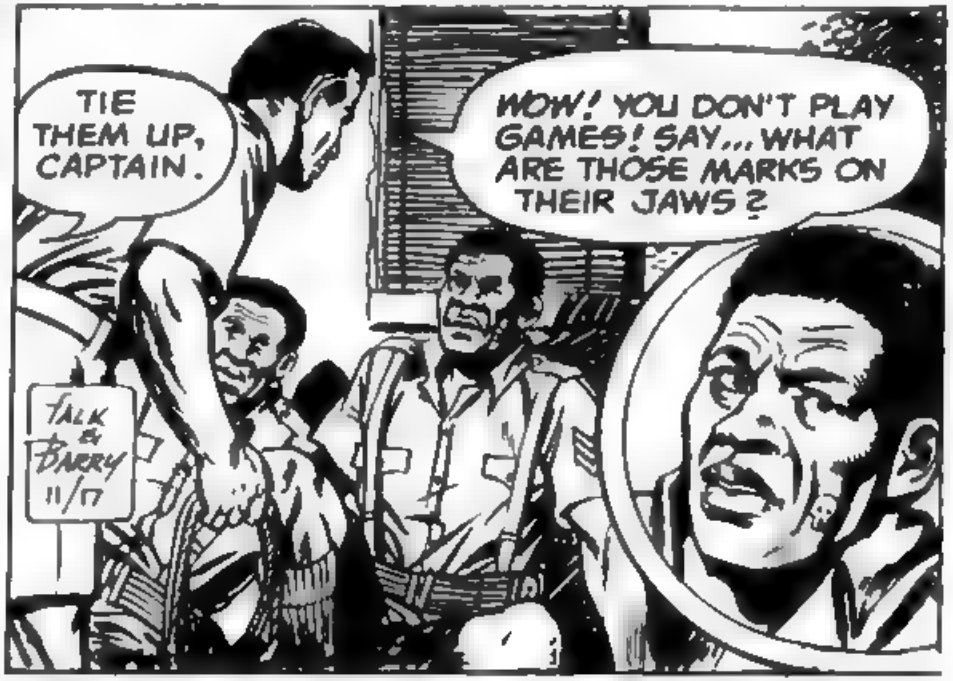
TALK to Barry 11/16
UH!
WHERE DID YOUR GANG TAKE PRESIDENT LUAGA?
UHH... STOP...


UH... TO MISTY MOUNTAINS... TO CASTLE OF PRINCE...
SHUT UP!

WHOSE CASTLE? TALK!
UH... PRINCE... AGORDA..

THE PRESIDENT'S AT AGORDA'S CASTLE. IS BABABU THERE?
AS FAR AS WE..
SHH... ENOUGH!

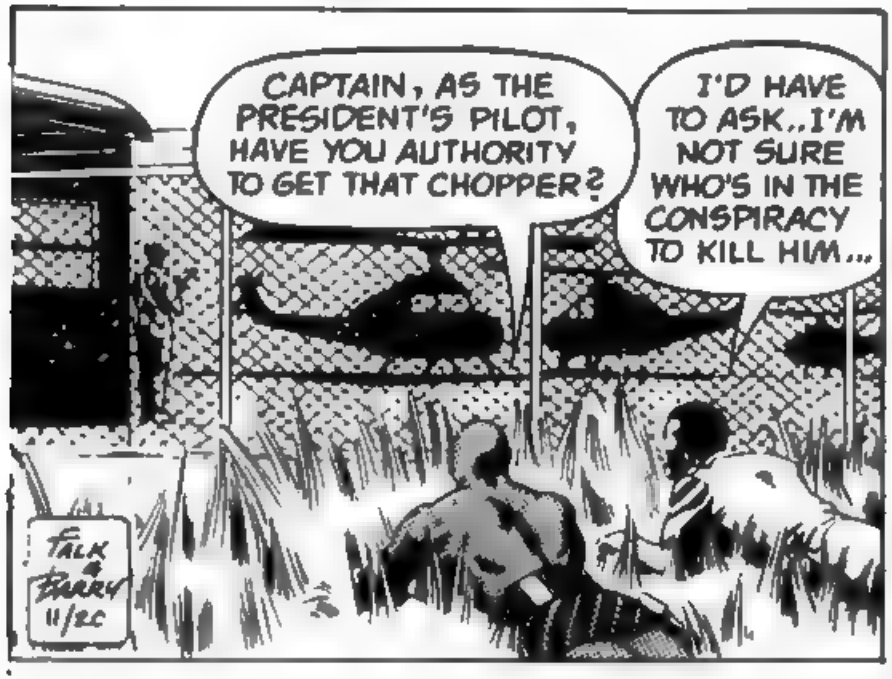
IS BABABU THERE?
UH... YES! OU...
DNG


TIE THEM UP, CAPTAIN.
WOW! YOU DON'T PLAY GAMES! SAY... WHAT ARE THOSE MARKS ON THEIR JAWS?
TALK to Barry 11/17

TIE THOSE ASSASSINS WELL, CAPTAIN.
RIGHT! STILL NOT MOVING. WOW... YOU HIT HARD!

SAY...THOSE MARKS ON THEIR JAWS..WHERE YOU HIT THEM..SKULL MARKS!
SIGN OF THE ...ARE YOU THE ...THE..?

YES, I AM, CAPTAIN. FINISH THAT KNOT. WE'VE GOT TO MOVE!
TALK & BARRY 11/19

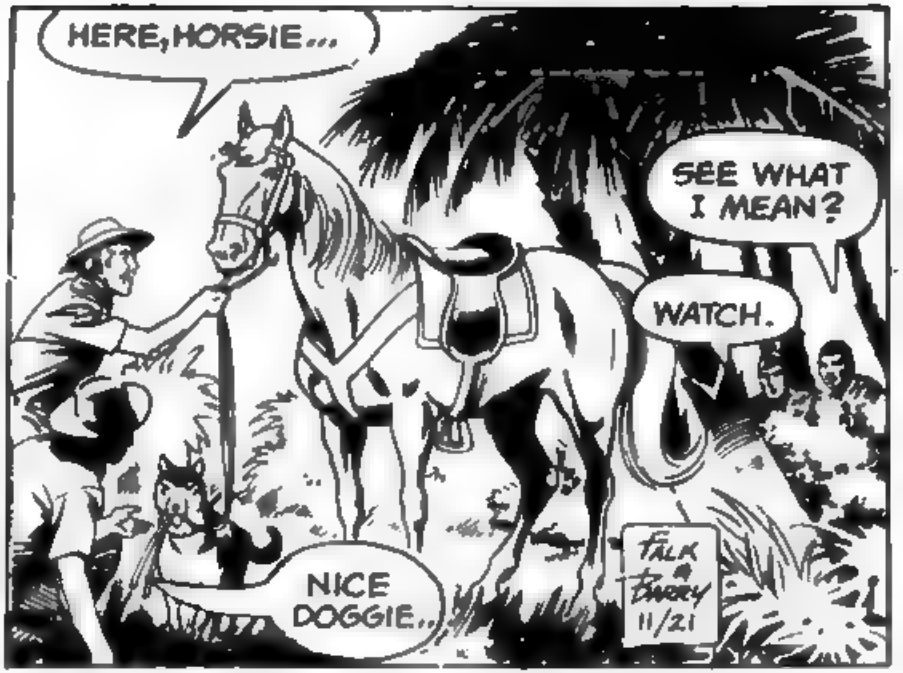

CAPTAIN, AS THE PRESIDENT'S PILOT, HAVE YOU AUTHORITY TO GET THAT CHOPPER?
I'D HAVE TO ASK..I'M NOT SURE WHO'S IN THE CONSPIRACY TO KILL HIM...
TALK & BARRY 11/20

IN THAT CASE, DON'T ASK. WE'LL BORROW ONE.
FIRST, HAVE TO SEND MY PALS TO THE WOODS..

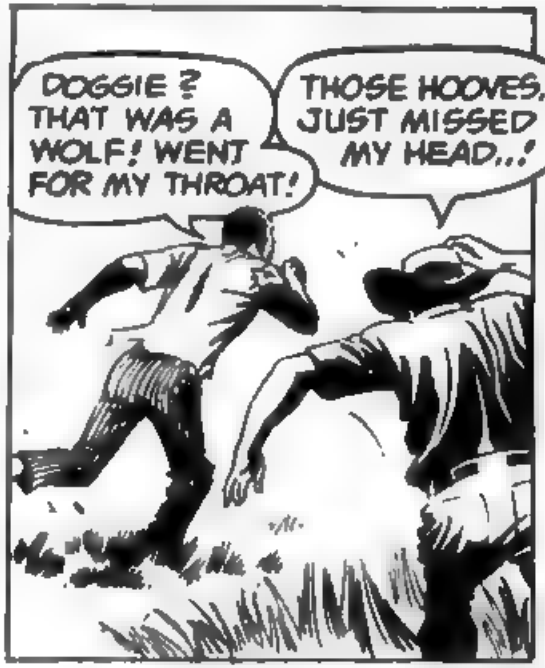
??
DEVIL, TAKE HERO TO TOMA.
WUFF-WUFF.*
*OKAY.

HE'S A BEAUTIFUL THOROUGH-BRED.
AREN'T YOU AFRAID HE'LL BE STOLEN ?
NOT LIKELY.

HEY...LOOK AT THAT ARABIAN! WORTH A FORTUNE!
WOW! LET'S GRAB HIM!


HERE, HORSIE...
SEE WHAT I MEAN?
WATCH.
NICE DOGGIE...
FALK & BARRY 11/21

A■ TWO TOUGHS TRY TO NAB HERO...
!
!
GRRR
FALK & BARRY 11/22


DOGGIE ? THAT WAS A WOLF! WENT FOR MY THROAT!
THOSE HOOVES.. JUST MISSED MY HEAD..!

THEY CAN TAKE CARE OF THEM-SELVES.
I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN.

CAPTAIN, DO YOU HAVE PERMISSION TO FLY THIS CHOPPER? UH..
WHAM!
FALK & BARRY 11/23

GOOD WORK, CAPTAIN! I COULDN'T HAVE DONE BETTER MYSELF!

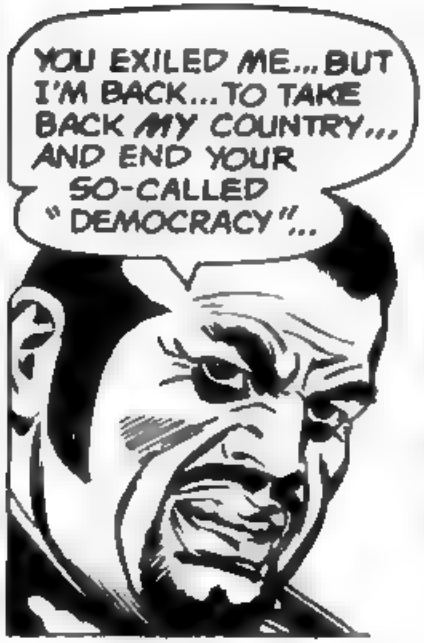
COMING FROM YOU ...THAT'S REAL PRAISE! THANK YOU.

WHERE ARE WE HEADED?
TO THE MISTY MOUNTAINS, CASTLE OF PRINCE AGORDA.

THINK WE'LL FIND PRESIDENT LUAGA -- ALIVE..?
WE CAN ONLY HOPE, CAPTAIN.

PRESIDENT LUAGA... AS WE LAST SAW HIM...
LUAGA... WHAT A PLEASURE IT IS TO SEE YOU HERE!
I CAN'T SAY THE SAME, BABABU.
FALK & BARRY 11/24

CAN YOU GUESS WHY I'VE BROUGHT YOU HERE, LUAGA?
YES, BUT TELL ME, BABABU.
FALK & BARRY 11/26

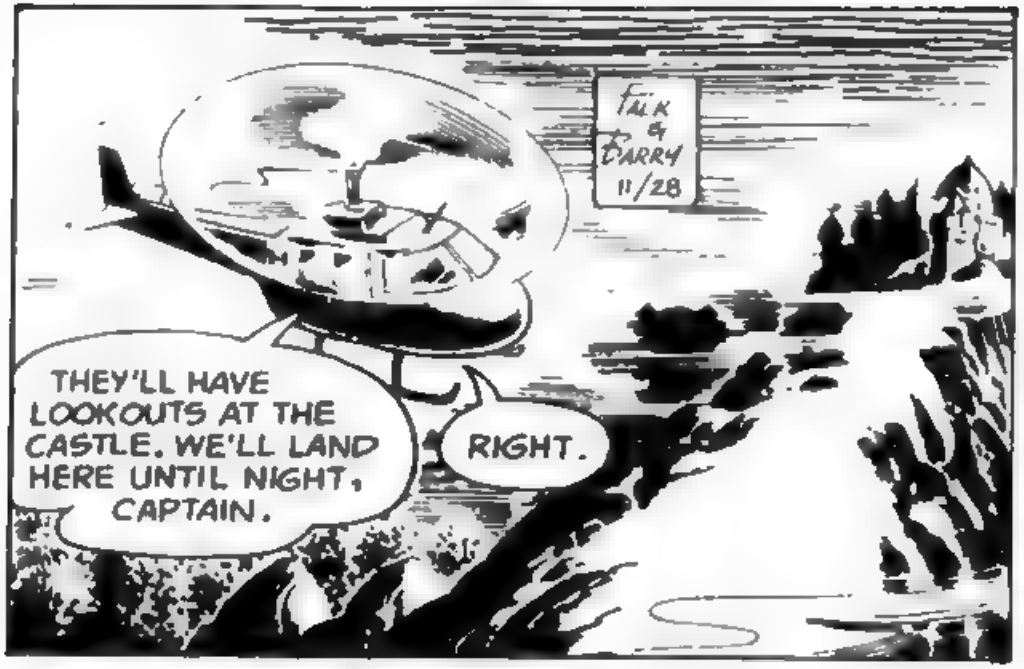

YOU EXILED ME... BUT I'M BACK... TO TAKE BACK MY COUNTRY... AND END YOUR SO-CALLED "DEMOCRACY"...

AND YOU'RE GOING TO HELP ME, MISTER PRESIDENT!
DON'T HOLD YOUR BREATH FOR THAT.

PRESIDENT LUAGA AND GENERAL BABABU.
KNOW WHY WE CHOSE THIS TIME TO TAKE OVER? BECAUSE YOU'RE ON ONE OF YOUR FAMOUS SECRET TRIPS.

NOBODY KNOWS WHERE YOU'VE GONE.. NOBODY MISSES YOU.. YOU'RE HELPLESS!

THAT'S THE CASTLE.. THE BIGGEST ONE.
NOW WHAT DO WE DO?
FALK & BARRY 11/27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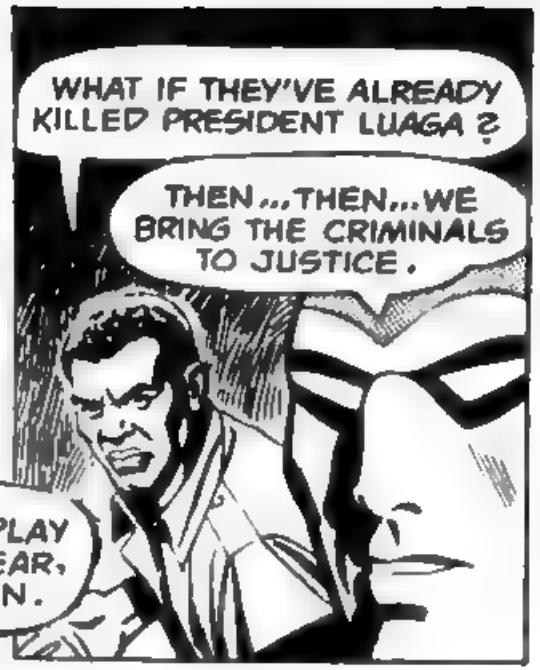
THEY'LL HAVE LOOKOUTS AT THE CASTLE. WE'LL LAND HERE UNTIL NIGHT, CAPTAIN.
RIGHT.

TONIGHT... WHAT'LL WE DO WHEN WE GET THERE?
WE'LL PLAY IT BY EAR, CAPTAIN.

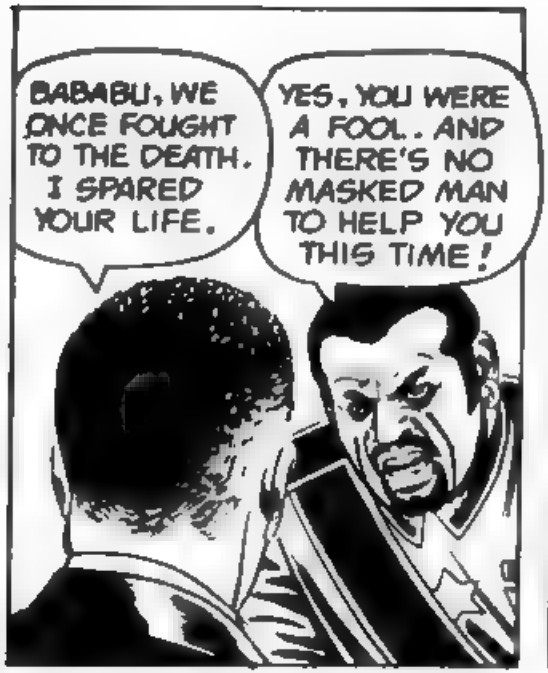

WHAT IF THEY'VE ALREADY KILLED PRESIDENT LUAGA?
THEN...THEN...WE BRING THE CRIMINALS TO JUSTICE.

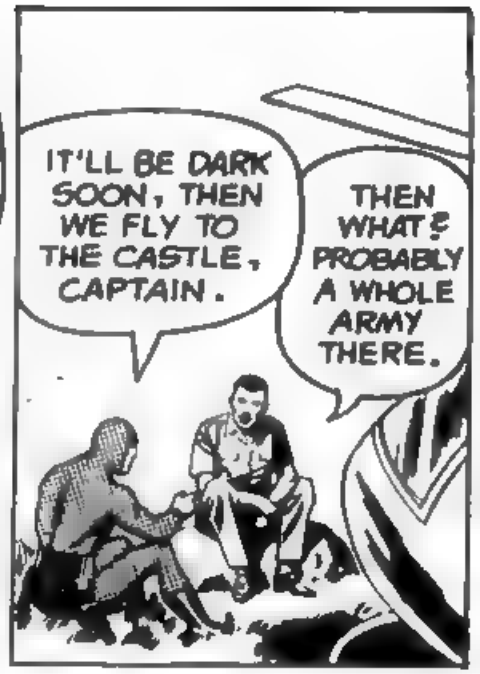
PRINCE AGORDA, YOU WERE AT MY INAUGURATION. HOW DID YOU GET MIXED UP IN THIS?
PRESIDENT LUAGA AND GENERAL BABABU...
SNAP!
!
FALK & BARRY 11/29

WATCH YOUR TONGUE! YOU'RE NOT PRESIDENT HERE, LUAGA!
SLAP

DON'T TRY THAT AGAIN, MAJOR!
WHAM!
UH...

YOU...!
ENOUGH, MAJOR. YOU'LL HAVE YOUR CHANCE LATER. THE PRESIDENT LIKES TO FIGHT. HANDCUFF HIM.
FALK & BARRY 11/30


BABABU, WE ONCE FOUGHT TO THE DEATH. I SPARED YOUR LIFE.
YES, YOU WERE A FOOL. AND THERE'S NO MASKED MAN TO HELP YOU THIS TIME!


IT'LL BE DARK SOON, THEN WE FLY TO THE CASTLE, CAPTAIN.
THEN WHAT? PROBABLY A WHOLE ARMY THERE.

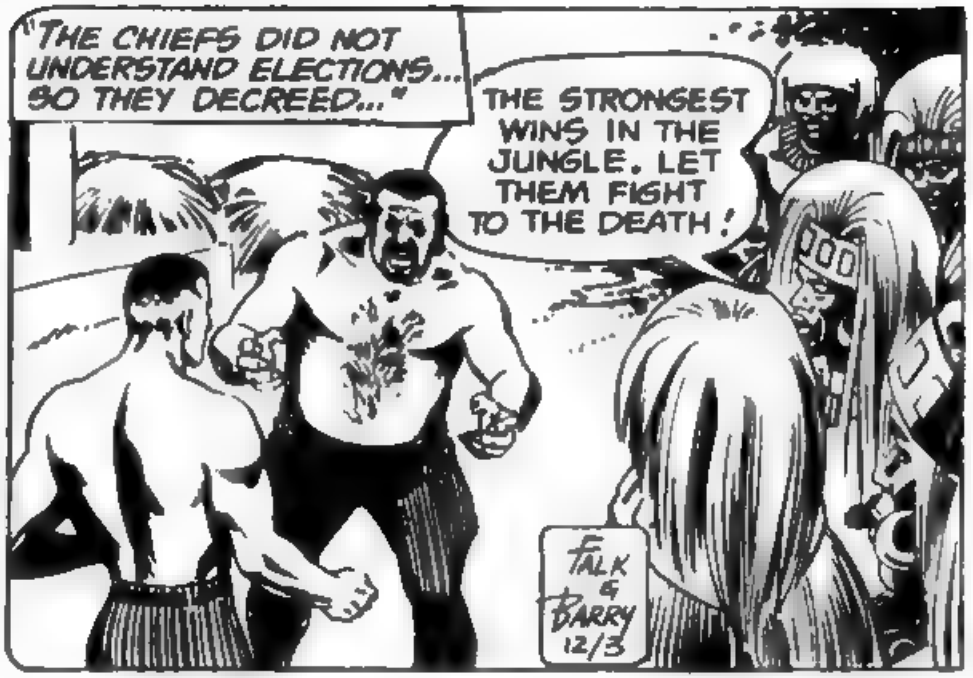
PRES. LUAGA AND GEN. BABABU...
SEE THIS EQUIPMENT, LUAGA? A RADIO TRANSMITTER, BROUGHT ESPECIALLY FOR YOU.
MEANING?
FALK & BARRY 12/1

YOU ANNOUNCE TO THE NATION THAT YOU'VE RESIGNED... IN MY FAVOR.
YOU'RE DREAMING! WAKE UP!

DARK. TIME TO MOVE TO THE CASTLE, CAPTAIN.
RIGHT.
WOW.. NOW WHAT?

YOU RECALL HOW YOU STOLE POWER FROM ME, LUAGA ?
STOLE ? YOU MEAN.. AFTER YOU REVOLTED AGAINST OUR LEGITIMATE ELECTION ?

"THE MASKED MAN BROUGHT YOU TO THE COUNCIL OF CHIEFS TO DECIDE..."


"THE CHIEFS DID NOT UNDERSTAND ELECTIONS... SO THEY DECREED..."
THE STRONGEST WINS IN THE JUNGLE. LET THEM FIGHT TO THE DEATH!
FALK & BARRY 12/3

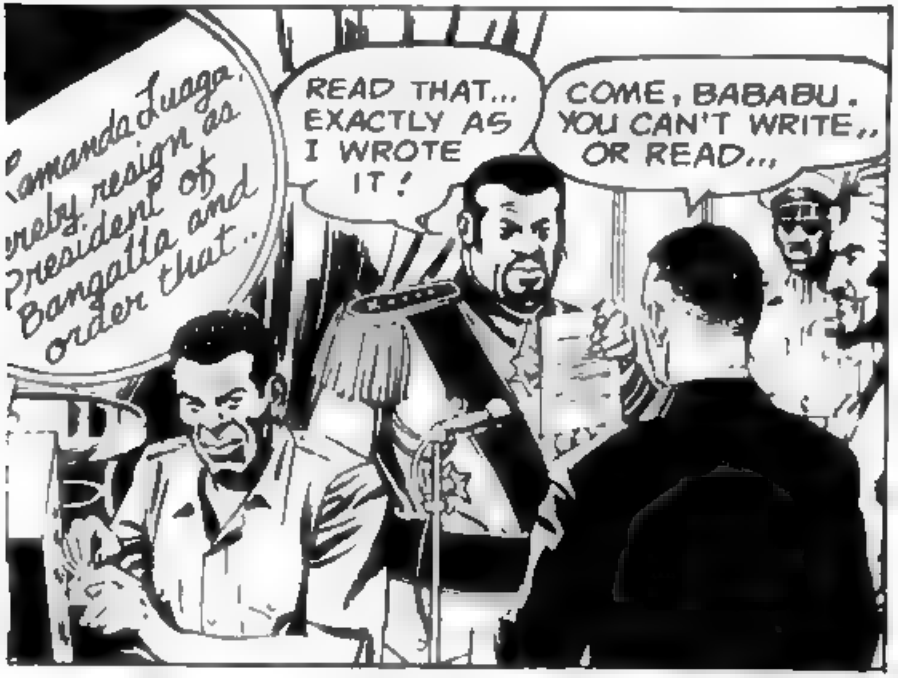
RECALL, BABABU, I WON THAT FIGHT!
LUAGA..WINNER! LAW OF JUNGLE... KILL HIM!
I OBEY NEW LAWS NOW, CHIEFS. I DO NOT KILL HELPLESS MEN...

I..I CAN'T READ... (SOB)
THEN REPEAT AFTER ME...I, GENERAL BABABU, ORDER MY TROOPS TO LAY DOWN ARMS ...AND...
FALK & BARRY 12/4

READ THIS TO THE NATION! SAY YOU'RE RESIGNING... SENDING THE LEGISLATURE HOME!
ANYTHING ELSE, BABABU?
FALK & BARRY 12/5

YES! TELL YOUR ARMY TO OBEY MY RULE!
YOU BELIEVE I'D DO THAT. YOU'RE A BIGGER FOOL THAN I THOUGHT!

WE'LL SEE WHO'S THE FOOL! I KNOW HOW TO MAKE MEN TALK!


Commanda Luaga, hereby resign as President of Bangalla and order that..
READ THAT... EXACTLY AS I WROTE IT!
COME, BABABU. YOU CAN'T WRITE,, OR READ...

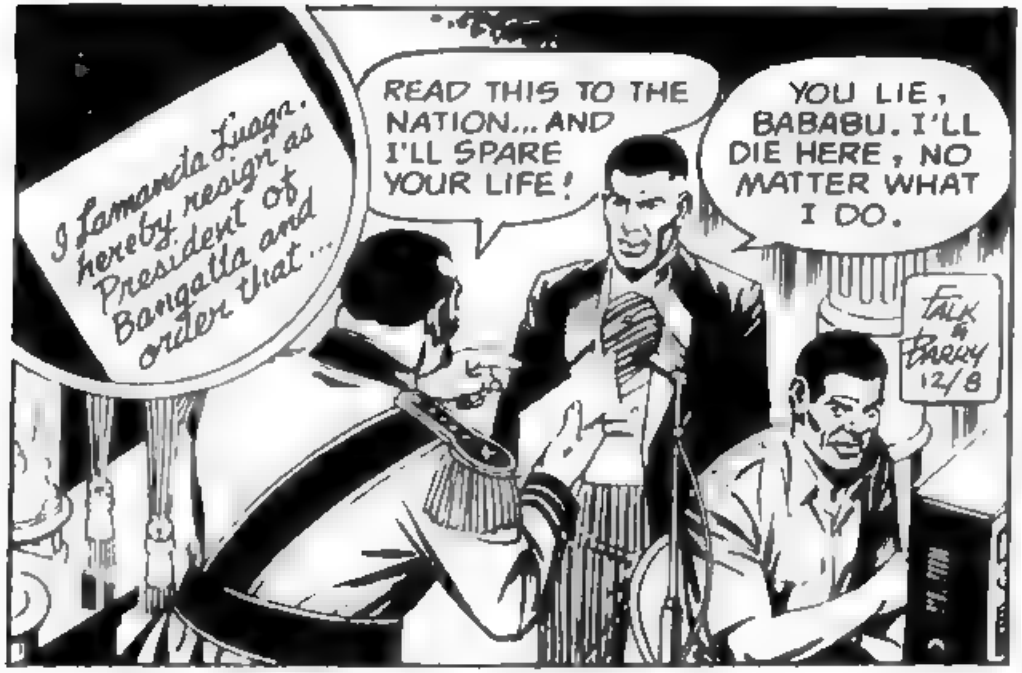
PRINCE AGORDA,, WHY ARE YOU BACKING THIS WOULD-BE TYRANT?
I DON'T LIKE YOUR DEMOCRACY, LUAGA. ALL THOSE LAWS,, TAXES...

WE'RE AT THE CASTLE NOW,, I'M GETTING OUT. YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO...
YES... GOOD LUCK!
FALK & BARRY 12/6

NIGHT... IN THE MISTY MOUNTAINS...
TALK by BARRY 12/7

LUCKY THERE'S NO MOON TONIGHT...

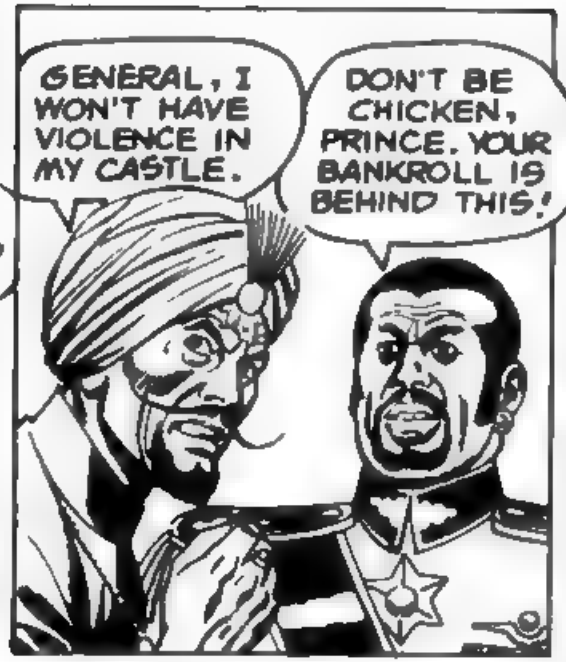
SO FAR... SO GOOD... LET'S HOPE I FIND LUAGA ALIVE...


I Lamancia Luaga, hereby resign as President of Bangatta and order that...
READ THIS TO THE NATION... AND I'LL SPARE YOUR LIFE!
YOU LIE, BABABU. I'LL DIE HERE, NO MATTER WHAT I DO.
TALK by BARRY 12/8

YOU'LL READ THIS NOW!
NO!

I CAN CHANGE YOUR MIND.. FAST!

, LAMANDA LUAGA, ESIGN AS PRESIDENT OF BENGALLA, AND DESIGNATE GENERA BABABU AS
READ THAT! BROADCAST IT TO THE NATION!
PLEASE, LUAGA... DO IT.
NOT ON YOUR LIFE, OR MINE!


GENERAL, I WON'T HAVE VIOLENCE IN MY CASTLE.
DON'T BE CHICKEN, PRINCE. YOUR BANKROLL IS BEHIND THIS!

HOPE I'M IN TIME... TO SAVE LUAGA...
FALK & BARRY 12/10

THE SHIRT TOO, MAJOR!
RIGHT, SIR!
RRRIP
FALK & BARRY 12/11

GENERAL, YOU SAID I COULD DO THAT.
I'VE CHANGED MY MIND. I'LL DO IT MYSELF!

LAST CHANCE, LUAGA. WILL YOU RESIGN AS PRESIDENT...IN MY FAVOR?
NEVER, BABABU!

NIGHT... AT THE CASTLE OF PRINCE AGORDA...
FALK & BARRY 12/12

URK!
WAKE YOU UP? SORRY...

GO BACK TO SLEEP.

HEARD SOMETHING.. WHO GOES THERE?
FALK & BARRY 12/13

UH...
ME...
CRUNCH!

...LUAGA'S STILL ALIVE.. I'M IN TIME!

RECOGNIZE THIS OLD WHIP, LUAGA? STEEL BARBS!
YES. ARAB SLAVERS USED IT ON OUR ANCESTORS. YOU SHOULD BE ASHAMED TO USE IT.
FALK & BARRY 12/14

STILL SUPERIOR? I'LL MAKE YOU CRY FOR MERCY!

BANG
!
SUDDENLY... A GUN SHOT...

FALK & BARRY 12/15
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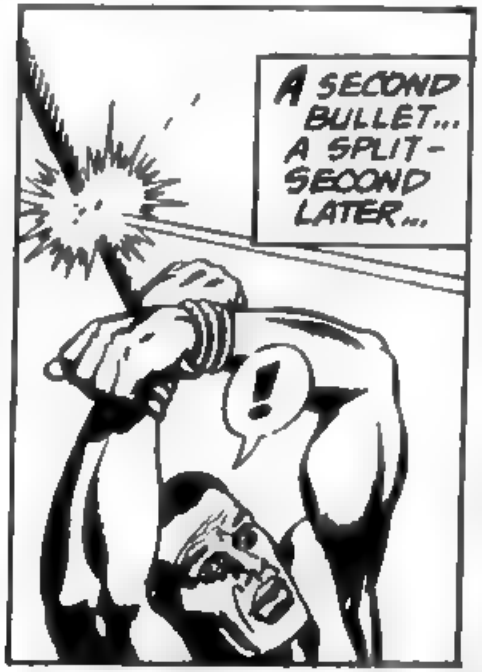
AS A BULLET SHATTERS BABABU'S WHIP...


A SECOND BULLET... A SPLIT-SECOND LATER...
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???!!!

TWO MYSTERIOUS SHOTS...!
BANG
BANG

MAJOR... SEE WHO'S ON THAT BALCONY!
NO HUMAN... CAN SHOOT LIKE THAT... A DEMON!
LIEUTENANT... CHECK OUT THAT BALCONY!
?
!
FALK & BARRY 12/17

LT. RAMOS.. YOU HEARD THE GENERAL. GO ON THAT BALCONY AND SEIZE THE GUNMAN
I DON'T TAKE ORDERS FROM YOU ANYMORE, MAJOR!

MOVE.. OR I'LL BLOW YOUR HEAD OFF!

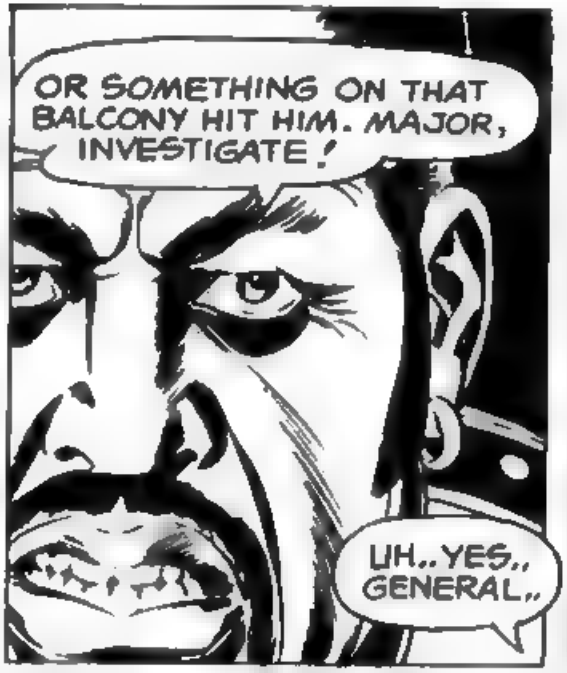
FALK & BARRY 12/18

KEEP MOVING, LT. RAMOS! SEE WHO'S ON THAT BALCONY!
FALK & BARRY 12/19

NOBODY HERE!

UH...
YOU DIDN'T LOOK VERY HARD!
CRUNCH!

LIEUTENANT RAMOS..?!
MAYBE.. HE FAINTED...
WHAT.. HAPPENED TO HIM?
BAM
FALK & BARRY 12/20


OR SOMETHING ON THAT BALCONY HIT HIM. MAJOR, INVESTIGATE!
UH.. YES.. GENERAL..

CAN'T SEE A THING... NOTHING.. OUT THERE.
GO OUT THERE!

SEE... NOBODY ON THE BALCONY..

URK!

MAJOR...?
?
!
TALK BY BARRY 12/21

SOLDIER..GO SEE WHAT HAPPENED TO MAJOR CROTTA!
UH...YES GENERAL, SIR.

NOBODY OUT THERE, GENERAL.
!
!
TALK BY BARRY 2/22

NOBODY OUT HERE, GENERAL ... UH!

Uhhhhh...

SOLDIERS AREN'T SUPPOSED TO FAINT, SOLDIER.
FALK & BARRY 12/24
CLUNK!

MAJOR CROTTA..!
WHAT'S HAPPENING?

BE SEEING YOU, MAJOR...
FALK & BARRY 12/25

CLUNK

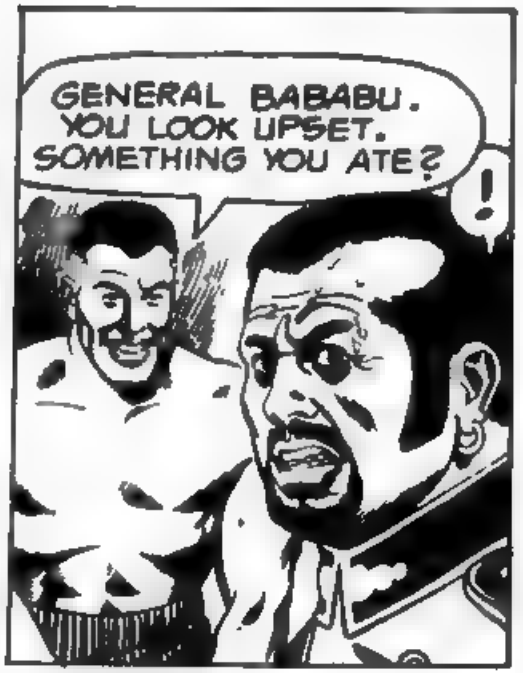
NOBODY OUT HERE, GENERAL!
THERE WAS SOMEBODY!
FALK & BARRY 12/26

SOMEBODY...HIT LT. RAMOS ...SOMEBODY HELD MAJOR CROTTA BY HIS HEELS... SOMEBODY...

GENERAL...ON THEIR JAWS... THAT MARK.. DEATH'S HEAD!

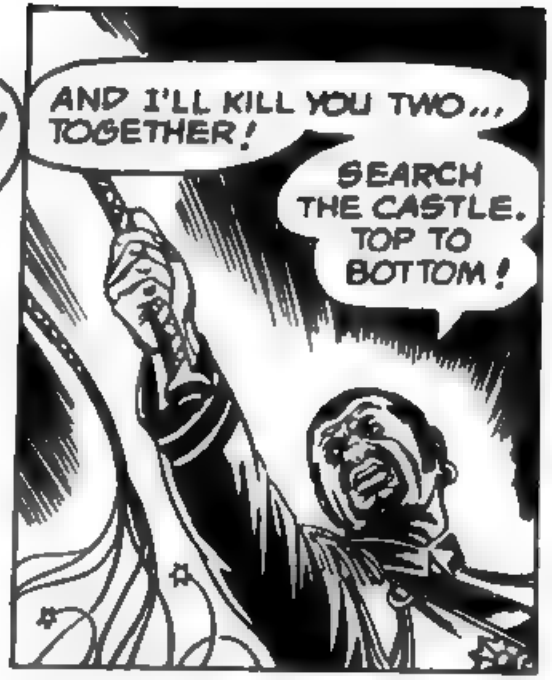
ON THEIR JAWS.. SIGN OF SKULL..
MARK OF.. PHANTOM!

THE PHANTOM..HERE! HE'S FOUND ME!
FALK & BARRY 12/27

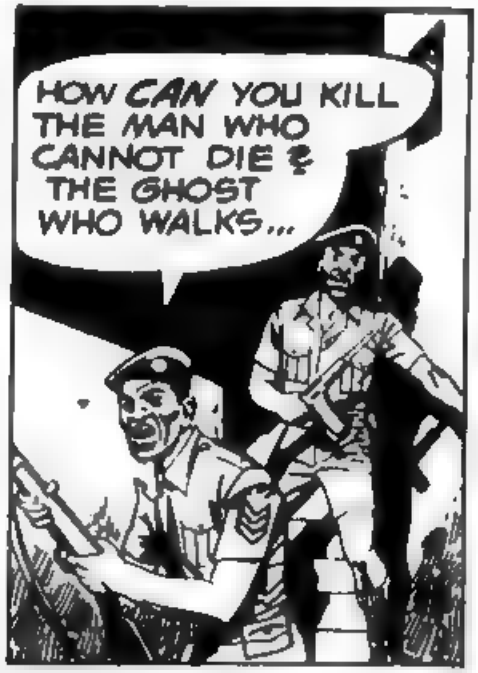

GENERAL BABABU. YOU LOOK UPSET. SOMETHING YOU ATE?
!

BABABU. YOU'VE MET THE PHANTOM BEFORE. CORRECT?
!
TALK to BARRY 12/28

HE MADE A FOOL OF ME. BUT NOT THIS TIME! HE CAN'T ESCAPE THIS CASTLE! NOW I'VE GOT YOU BOTH!


AND I'LL KILL YOU TWO... TOGETHER!
SEARCH THE CASTLE. TOP TO BOTTOM!

FIND THE PHANTOM. SHOOT ON SIGHT! KILL! KILL!
TALK to BARRY 12/29


HOW CAN YOU KILL THE MAN WHO CANNOT DIE? THE GHOST WHO WALKS...

MUST GET LUAGA OUT OF THIS SNAKE PIT... ALIVE AND UNHURT!

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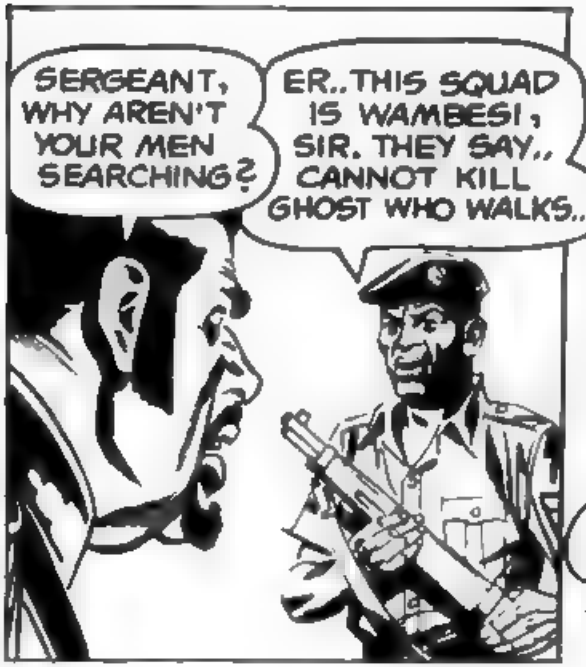
FALK & BARRY 12/31


SERGEANT, WHY AREN'T YOUR MEN SEARCHING?
ER..THIS SQUAD IS WAMBESI, SIR. THEY SAY,, CANNOT KILL GHOST WHO WALKS..

YOU WILL SEARCH,,, YOU WILL SHOOT ON SIGHT..OR YOU ALL DIE BEFORE A FIRING SQUAD!
!!

COWARDS! ARE YOU SOLDIERS,,, OR RABBITS?
AFRAID OF A PHANTOM?
NO, GENERAL, WE ARE NOT AFRAID.

WE LIKE HIM. HE IS FRIEND OF OUR PEOPLE.
!!

MR. PRESIDENT.
KIT!
FALK & BARRY 1/1

OH.. AM I GLAD TO SEE YOU.

WHEW. HOW DO YOU ALWAYS ARRIVE IN JUST THE NICK OF TIME?
PRACTICE.
FALK & BARRY 1/2

HOW DID YOU FIND ME?
A LONG STORY... TELL YOU AFTER DINNER SOME NIGHT.
FALK & BARRY 1/3

TAKE THIS. YOU MAY NEED IT BEFORE WE LEAVE. BABABU'S TRYING TO FIND ME.

I'M GOING TO HELP HIM.

GUARD THIS DOOR, COWARDS. I'LL FINISH LUAGA MYSELF.. THEN FINISH THE PHANTOM!

EMPTY! HE GOT AWAY!

WILL I DO, GENERAL?
!
FALK & BARRY 1/4

AS THE GENERAL RAISES HIS GUN...
AT LAST, I'VE FOUND YOU... AND I'VE GOT YOU!
WRONG. GENERAL...
FALK & BARRY 1/5

"PHANTOM MOVES FASTER THAN THE EYE CAN SEE"... OLD JUNGLE SAYING.
I'VE GOT YOU!
!!

AS THE PHANTOM HITS BABABU'S GUN...
!

NO MAN CAN SHOOT LIKE THAT! ONLY A DEMON... HELP!

DON'T GO, GENERAL. WE MUST CHAT!
UMPH!
WHAM
FALK & BARRY 1/7

I'VE LOOKED FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AGAIN, BABABU.
!
FALK & BARRY 1/8

SEEING THE PHANTOM'S GUN IN ITS HOLSTER... HE SWINGS...
YOU... HOOOOO..!

THANK YOU, BABABU. I HOPED YOU'D DO THAT!
UH..!
WHAM
BABABU'S MISTAKE.

PRESIDENT LUAGA, YOUR SECURITY OFFICER WOULDN'T APPROVE YOU BEING ON THIS ROOF.
DON'T REPORT ME!

WHAT ABOUT BABABU?
WAITING FOR YOU. WITH HIS FELLOW CONSPIRATORS.

THE GENERAL, MAJOR AND LIEUTENANT. SHOULD SALUTE ... BUT HAVE GOOD EXCUSE. CAN'T.
YOU ARE... FANTASTIC!
FALK & BARRY 1/9

THE PRISON DOCTOR WILL HAVE A LOOK AT IT, BABABU.
WHAT ABOUT THOSE TWO... WHO KIDNAPPED ME?
UHH.. MY JAW ...FEELS LIKE ...BROKEN.
FALK & BARRY 1/10

QUESTION THEM... WHEN THEY COME TO.
HOW DO WE GET OUT OF HERE? BABABU'S SOLDIERS ARE EVERYWHERE.

A MINOR DETAIL. WE'LL WORK IT OUT.
YOU MAKE EVERYTHING SO SIMPLE. DID I MENTION... YOU'RE AMAZING?

NO SIGN OF MASKED MAN, PRINCE AGORDA.
WE DIDN'T LOOK.
REPORT TO GENERAL BABABU.
FALK & BARRY 1/11

HE'S HERE!

SOLDIERS ...SEIZE THEM!
STOP, YOU ROYAL IDIOT...CAN'T YOU SEE THIS GUN AT MY HEAD?
HE DOESN'T MIND, BABABU. IT'S NOT HIS HEAD.

GREETINGS, PHANTOM, GHOST WHO WALKS, GUARDIAN OF THE EASTERN DARK.
GREETINGS, WARRIORS OF WAMBESI.

THEY TOLD US TO SHOOT YOU. WE TOLD THEM...YOU ARE OUR FRIEND.

THIS IS THE EVIL MAN. YOU WANT US TO SHOOT HIM?
!!
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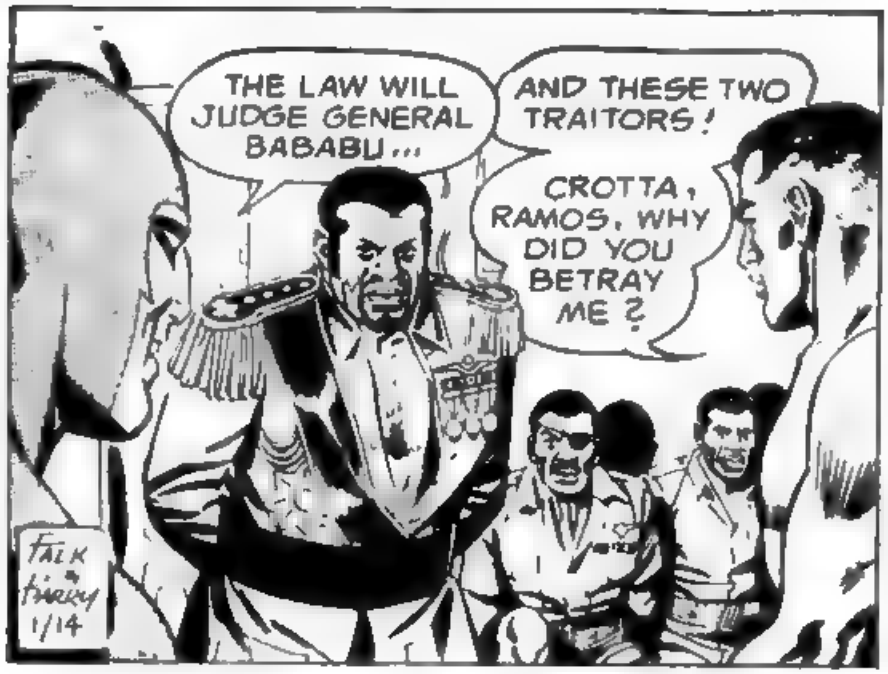

THE LAW WILL JUDGE GENERAL BABABU...
AND THESE TWO TRAITORS!
CROTTA, RAMOS, WHY DID YOU BETRAY ME?
FALK & BARRY 1/14

BABABU PROMISED ME THE WAR MINISTRY.
NO! HE PROMISED THAT TO ME!

CAN THE THREE BE PUT IN THE SAME CELL? THEY CAN SETTLE IT THERE.
!!!
EXCELLENT IDEA!

WE'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE. HOW DO YOU GET OUT?
EASY, PRESIDENT. OUR TAXI IS WAITING.

ONE FLARE!
MEANS LAND NOW ...HOW DID HE MANAGE THAT? OR IS IT A TRAP... FOR ME?
WELL... HERE GOES...

HE'S WITH THE PRESIDENT! ALL'S WELL! WOW!
YOUR PILOT... YOUR CHOPPER.
WONDERFUL!
FALK & BARRY 1/15

PRINCE AGORDA, YOU WERE AT MY INAUGURATION. WHY DID YOU TURN AGAINST ME ?
I DISLIKE YOUR "DEMOCRACY" AND YOUR TAXES !
FALK & BARRY 1/16

THIS MAN WILL COME WITH US. WILL THE WAMBESI GUARDS HOLD THE OTHERS UNDER HOUSE ARREST ?
WE CAN ASK.

IT WILL BE DONE, PHANTOM, GHOST WHO WALKS, GUARDIAN OF THE EASTERN DARK.
THANK YOU.

PRESIDENT LUAGA! I AM SO HAPPY TO SEE YOU ALIVE!
I SHARE THAT FEELING, CAPTAIN. IT WAS TOUCH AND GO.

HE'S GOT GENERAL BABABU. YOU WERE HIS PRISONER! NOW HE'S YOURS! HOW, SIRE ?

IT HAPPENED LIKE MAGIC, CAPTAIN. PHANTOM MAGIC.
FALK & BARRY 1/17

WHAT WILL YOU DO WITH ME, LUAGA?
I'D LIKE TO DUMP YOU OUT ...RIGHT NOW, BABABU.
TALK & BARRY 1/18

BUT THE DEMOCRACY YOU TRIED TO DESTROY WILL GIVE YOU A FAIR TRIAL.
BY THE WAY, NOTE YOUR JAW!

I'M TOLD IT CANNOT BE REMOVED.
NOT UNLESS THE HEAD IS REMOVED WITH IT. A MEMENTO, LEST YOU FORGET US, BABABU.
!!

WHERE ARE YOU TAKING ME, LUAGA?
OUR ORIGINAL FLIGHT PLAN, MR. PRESIDENT?
TO JUDGEMENT, BABABU. BUT FIRST A BRIEF STOP...

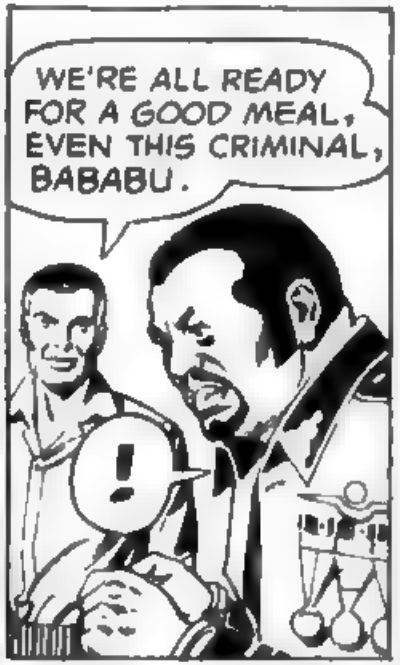
CORRECT, CAPTAIN. WE'RE GOING TO VISIT TWO BABIES.
BABIES?!
TALK & BARRY 1/19

FALK & BARRY 1/21
UNCLE WALKER!*
*FOR THE GHOST WHO WALKS.

HURRY, HURRY, JOOMBA!

A WELCOMING COMMITTEE! REX AND THE PYGMY POISON PEOPLE!

REX, YOU REMEMBER PRESIDENT LUAGA.
OH, YES, FROM THE WEDDING.
GOOD TO SEE YOU, REX. REALLY!


WE'RE ALL READY FOR A GOOD MEAL, EVEN THIS CRIMINAL, BABABU.
!

SIR, I'D BETTER STAY WITH THE CHOPPER.
IT'S SAFE HERE, CAPTAIN. THE BANDAR WILL GUARD IT. NOTHING ON 2 OR 4 FEET WILL COME NEAR.
FALK & BARRY 1/22
I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN.

QUITE A PROCESSION!
HOLD YOUR BREATH... WATERFALL AHEAD!

THE SECRET ENTRANCE TO THE DEEP WOODS.
GULP-

DARLING..!
DIANA!
HELLO!
HELLO!
1/23

OH, WE MISSED YOU AND WE WERE SO WORRIED!
NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT. TOOK TIME TO FIND LUAGA.
1/24

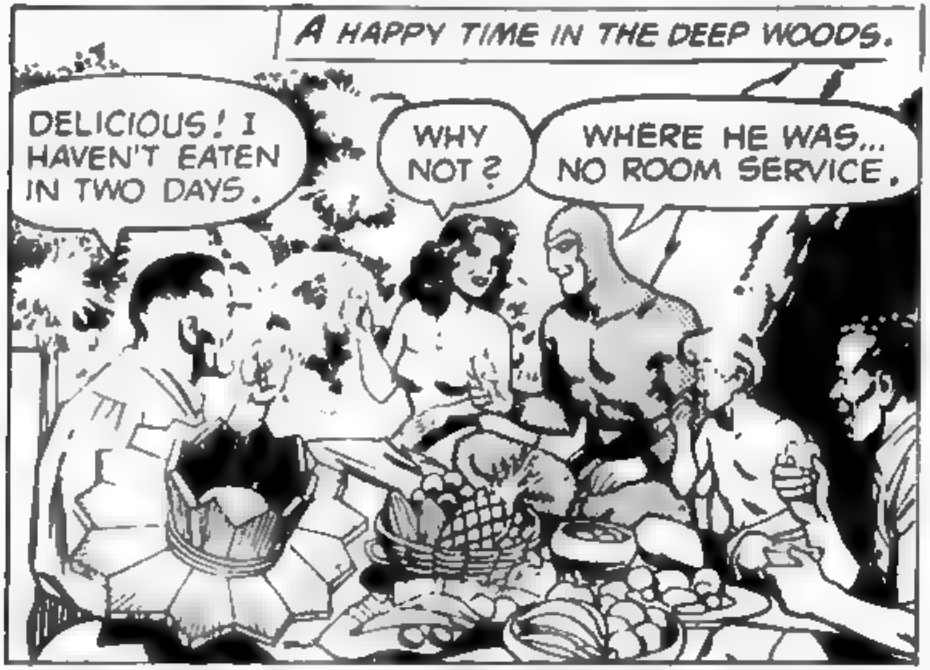
WE EXPECTED YOU DAYS AGO. WHAT HAPPENED?
A SLIGHT DELAY, DIANA. NOTHING IMPORTANT.

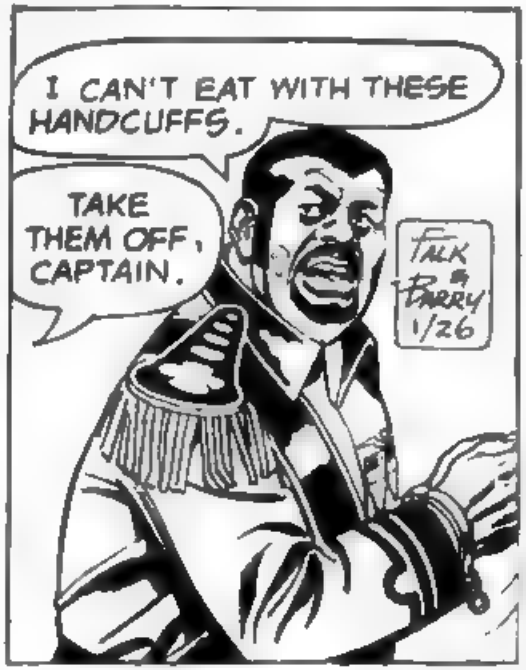
ER...WHO IS THAT?
A CRIMINAL WE PICKED UP ON THE WAY.
!
I CAME TO SEE THE BABIES. WHERE ARE THEY?

HELOISE.. AND KIT. BEAUTIFUL!
THANK YOU. OH, THEY'RE GETTING SO HEAVY.

LET ME HOLD HELOISE. I HAVE A WEAKNESS FOR PRETTY GIRLS.
NO SEXISM, MR. PRESIDENT. HOLD KIT, TOO.

YOU SHOULD START YOUR OWN FAMILY, MR. PRESIDENT!
MAYBE I WILL, REX. BUT IT TAKES TWO.
TALK & BARRY 1/25


A HAPPY TIME IN THE DEEP WOODS.
DELICIOUS! I HAVEN'T EATEN IN TWO DAYS.
WHY NOT?
WHERE HE WAS... NO ROOM SERVICE.


I CAN'T EAT WITH THESE HANDCUFFS.
TAKE THEM OFF, CAPTAIN.
TALK & BARRY 1/26

IF I CAN GET OUT OF HERE...GET TO THAT CHOPPER...

WHAT A FEAST!
DIANA HAS BROUGHT GOURMET COOKING TO THE DEEP WOODS.
WOW.. RIGHT!
ZZZ.. ZZZ..

THEY'RE ALL HALF ASLEEP.. NOW'S MY CHANCE...

TALK & BARRY 1/28

!!!
HEY...HE'S RUNNING AWAY!

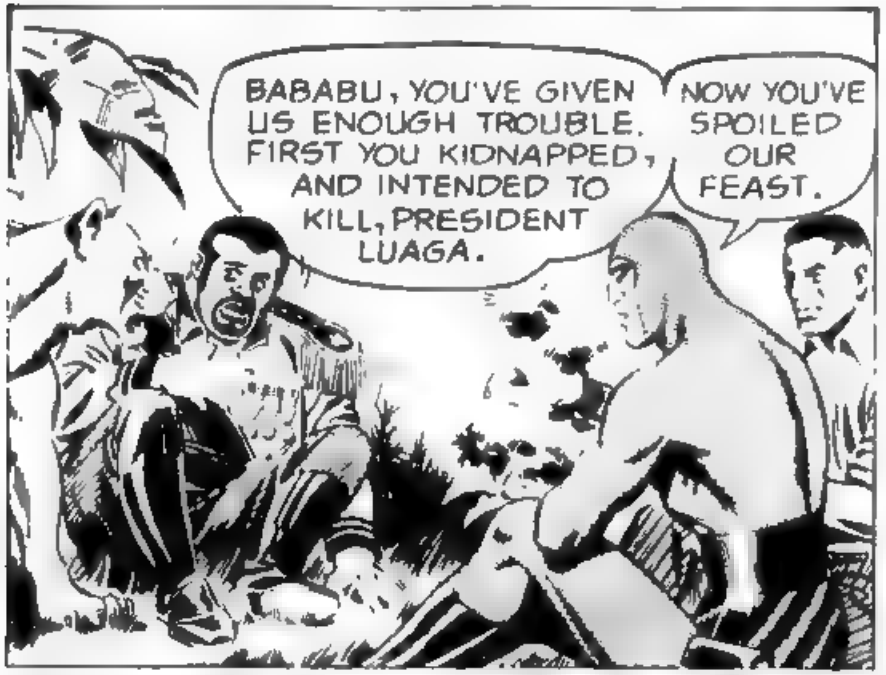
KATEENA... FETCH!

GRRRR...
!!!
TALK & BARRY 1/29

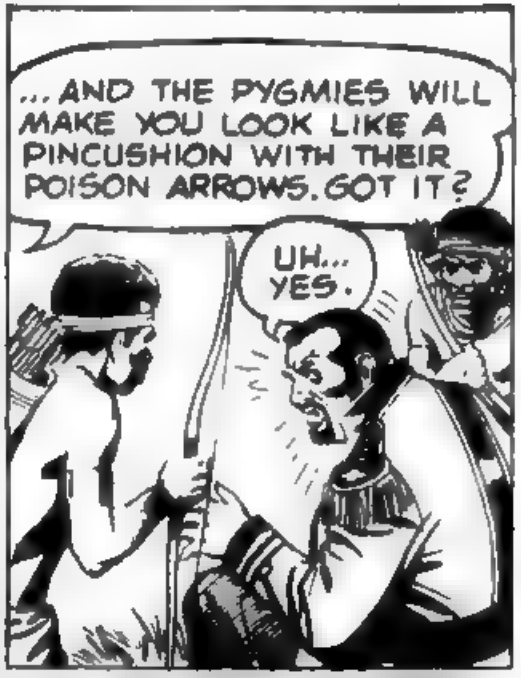
KATEENA... FETCH!
!!!

EEEEEE..!

UHH... NOO... UHH...


BABABU, YOU'VE GIVEN US ENOUGH TROUBLE. FIRST YOU KIDNAPPED, AND INTENDED TO KILL, PRESIDENT LUAGA.
NOW YOU'VE SPOILED OUR FEAST.

HE'S GIVING YOU A FAIR TRIAL IN COURT... BUT ANY MORE TROUBLE...


...AND THE PYGMIES WILL MAKE YOU LOOK LIKE A PINCUSHION WITH THEIR POISON ARROWS. GOT IT?
UH... YES.

DIANA.. YOU LOOK WONDERFULLY HAPPY.
WHY NOT? WITH THESE TWO BEAUTIFUL BABIES...AND HIM. BUT.. I FEEL SAD.

I'VE GOT TO LEAVE HERE. GO BACK TO MY JOB.. I'M TAKING THE BABIES. MOTHER IS DYING TO SEE THEM

DOES HE KNOW?
I HAVEN'T HAD A CHANCE TO TELL HIM YET. I WILL... RIGHT AWAY...

A NURSERY IN THE SKULL CAVE. MOST UNEXPECTED.
NOT AT ALL. THERE HAVE ALWAYS BEEN BABIES HERE.. INCLUDING ME.

YOU'LL MISS THE BABIES WHEN DIANA LEAVES.
DIANA... LEAVING?

I'M SORRY.. DIDN'T SHE TELL YOU?
NO!

DIANA, LAMANDA SAYS YOU'RE LEAVING WITH THE BABIES.
I'M SORRY. I THOUGHT YOU HAD ALREADY DISCUSSED IT.
OH, DEAR.. WE HAVEN'T HAD A MOMENT TOGETHER SINCE YOU GOT BACK.
TALK & BARRY 2/4

YES.. DEAR.. I HAVE TO GET BACK TO MY JOB, AND MAMA, NATURALLY, WANTS TO SEE THE BABIES...

I'M.. NOT HAPPY TO GO.. BUT REMEMBER.. WE AGREED...
YES.. I KNOW...

PRES. LUAGA AND THE PHANTOM...
HOW'S IT GOING TO WORK OUT FOR YOU? DIANA AND THE BABIES IN AMERICA?
I'M NOT LOOKING FORWARD TO IT.
TALK & BARRY 2/5

YOU COULD GO WITH HER.
I'D LIKE TO.. LATER. I CAN'T LEAVE THE JUNGLE NOW.

WE'LL TRY TO WORK IT OUT...
HMMM...

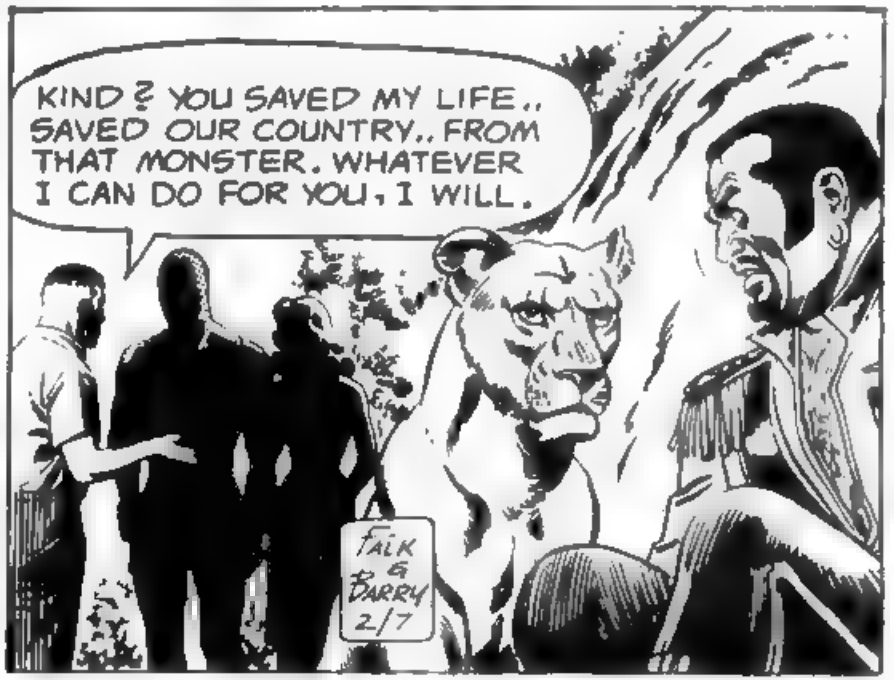
DIANA.. IT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS.. BUT HOW'S IT GOING TO WORK OUT.. WITH YOU AND THE BABIES IN AMERICA.. AND HIM.. HERE ?
GOOD QUESTION, MR. PRESIDENT.
FALK & BARRY

WE DON'T KNOW YET. IT'S ALL SO.. NEW. BUT I DO HAVE TO RETURN TO MY U.N. JOB.. AND HE IS NEEDED HERE...

BUT WE'LL WORK IT OUT, SOMEHOW.
HMM..

I'M SORRY TO LEAVE THIS WONDERFUL PLACE.. BUT I'VE BEEN AWAY LONGER THAN I PLANNED.
THANKS TO BABABU.

I'LL SEND THE CHOPPER BACK FOR YOU AS SOON AS YOU NEED IT, DIANA.
THANK YOU, MR. PRESIDENT. YOU ARE VERY KIND.


KIND ? YOU SAVED MY LIFE.. SAVED OUR COUNTRY.. FROM THAT MONSTER. WHATEVER I CAN DO FOR YOU, I WILL.
FALK & BARRY 2/7

I THINK ALL THE FIGHT'S OUT OF BABABU.
YES, AFTER BEING DRAGGED BY THAT BIG CAT...LIKE A FAT MOUSE.
FALK & DARKY 2/8

ME...A FAT MOUSE!

HE SHOULD HAVE SAID.. FAT RAT.
HE NEVER STOPS TRYING...
WHAM!
UH!

BEHAVE, BABABU. IF I HAVE TO STOP YOU AGAIN.. I'LL HIT HARD!
THAT WAS (OUCH) HARD ENOUGH.
FALK & DARKY 2/9

TOO BAD YOU'RE SUCH A MONSTER. YOUR ENERGY AND COURAGE COULD HELP OUR COUNTRY.
!!

GIVE ME A CHANCE!
SO YOU CAN STAB ME IN THE BACK? NO, THANKS.

I'M GLAD TO SEE HIM GO. WHAT'LL YOU DO TO HIM?
BABABU AND HIS GANG WILL BE TRIED FOR TREASON.

DIANA, MAY I HAVE ANOTHER LOOK AT YOUR BABIES?
OH, YES!

BEAUTIFUL! SOMEDAY MUST GET SOME OF MY OWN!
DIANA.. DON'T WORRY ABOUT LEAVING. THINGS WILL WORK OUT.
OF COURSE. (WISH I KNEW HOW)
FALK & BARRY 2/11

THE CHOPPER'LL RETURN IN THREE DAYS FOR DIANA. WE'LL ARRANGE HER FLIGHT TO AMERICA.
I THANK YOU.. BUT I'M NOT HAPPY ABOUT IT.

I UNDERSTAND. BUT DON'T WORRY, MY GOOD MASKED FRIEND. IT'LL WORK OUT FOR BOTH OF YOU TWO.
FALK & BARRY 2/12

WHAT DID HE MEAN BY THAT?

MAMA.. I'M COMING WITH THE BABIES THIS WEEK. YES, THIS WEEK!
DIANA! YOU'RE COMING HOME? WONDERFUL!
A TRANS-OCEAN RADIO CALL FROM THE SKULL CAVE.

MAMA, I AM HOME NOW. I'M SO ANXIOUS FOR YOU TO SEE THE BABIES! THEY'RE MARVELOUS!

NO, HE WON'T BE COMING. HE HAS WORK TO DO HERE. I'LL WIRE OUR ARRIVAL TO YOU...
TALK of DARRY 2/13

OH!

UNCLE WALKER!* I DIDN'T RECOGNIZE YOU!
CITY CLOTHES, REX.
* FOR THE GHOST WHO WALKS.

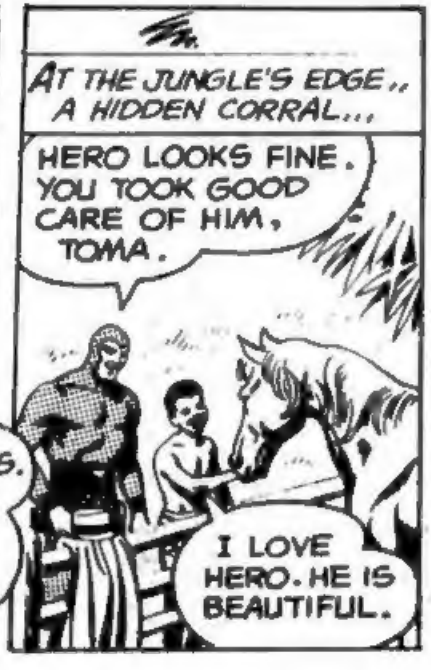
WHEN ARE YOU COMING BACK?
AS SOON AS I CAN.. MY FIRST VACATION...
GOOD-BYE...
GOOD-BYE...
GOOD-BYE...
TALK of DARRY 2/14

THANK YOU FOR MEETING US, LUAGA.
THOSE PYGMY NURSEMAIDS'LL BE A SENSATION IN AMERICA, DIANA.
FALK & BARRY 2/15

I PROMISED THEY COULD COME. THEY'RE ANXIOUS TO SEE THE WORLD,, AND THEY LOVE THE BABIES...

GOODBYE, DIANA... TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF,, AND HELOISE AND KIT.
I WON'T CRY,, I WON'T! (SOB)

GOOD-BYE...
LUNCH WITH ME AT THE PALACE?
NO, THANKS. I MUST RETURN TO THE JUNGLE.


AT THE JUNGLE'S EDGE,, A HIDDEN CORRAL...
HERO LOOKS FINE. YOU TOOK GOOD CARE OF HIM, TOMA.
I LOVE HERO. HE IS BEAUTIFUL.

"THE PHANTOM'S LIFE IS A LONELY ONE..."--OLD JUNGLE SONG.
FALK & BARRY 2/16